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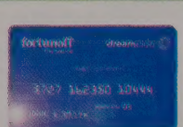

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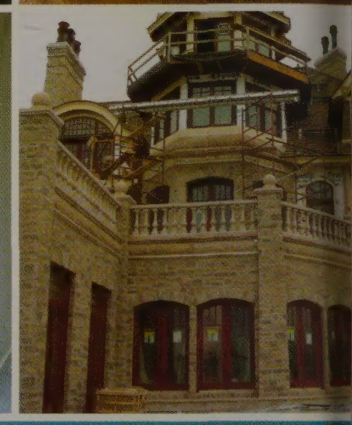

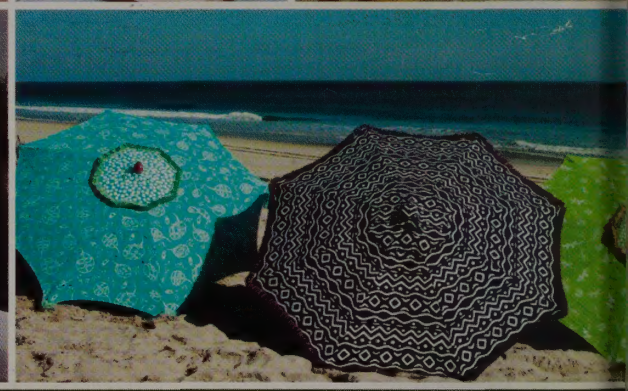

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14 Southampton Hills Ct, Southampton. $2,950,000
Two story 6,000 sq. ft Traditional home w/5 BRs, 6.5 BAs, FDR, EIK, CAC, 4 FPLs & 2 car garage w/1,200 sq. ft. room above. All on 1.26 acres w/ gunite pool & flagstone patio. Co-Exclusive. #50747 Dir: Montauk Hwy to Deerfield Rd., left onto Middle Line Hwy, right on Southampton Hills Ct. **Bridgehampton Office 631.537.5900**

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Open House • Sun. May 6 • 12noon-2pm
19 Fairline Drive, East Quogue. $648,000
Colonial w/ 4BR, 2.5BA, Great room w/ fireplace. Exclusive. #60186 Dir. Take Montauk Hwy to West Side Rd. go north and then make turn at Fairline.
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13 West Side Avenue, East Quogue $1,200,000
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5 Emily Court, Hampton Bays. $1,200,000
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15 Riverdale Drive, Hampton Bays. $439,000
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83 East Tiana Road, Hampton Bays. $495,000
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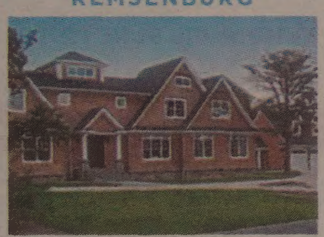

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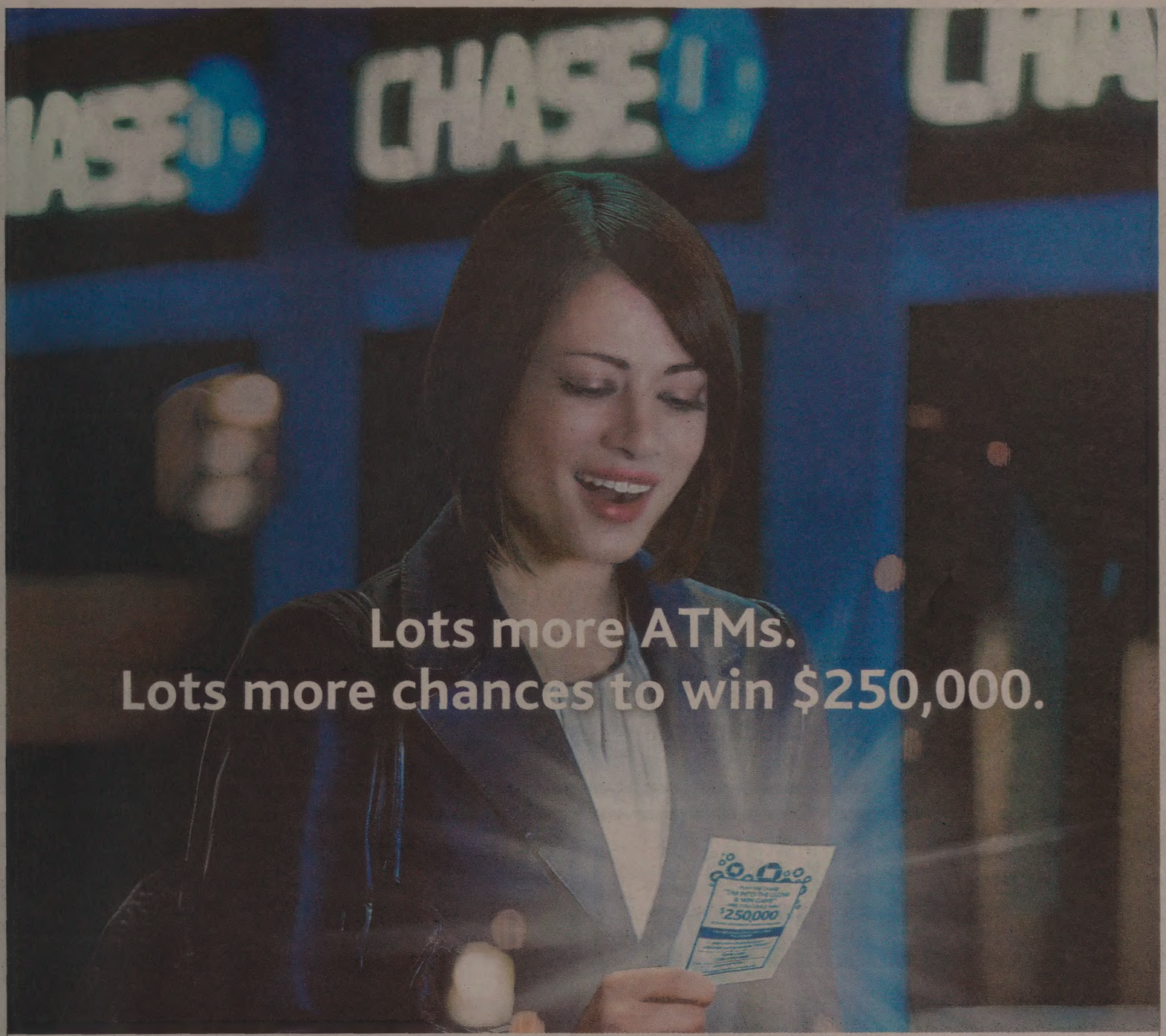

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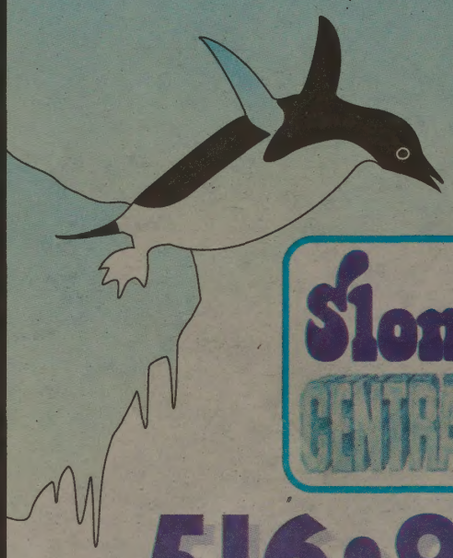

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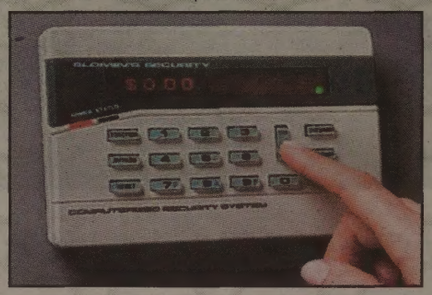

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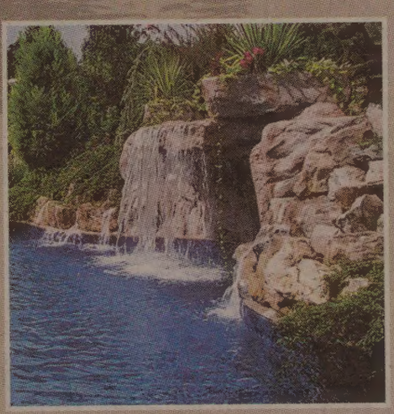

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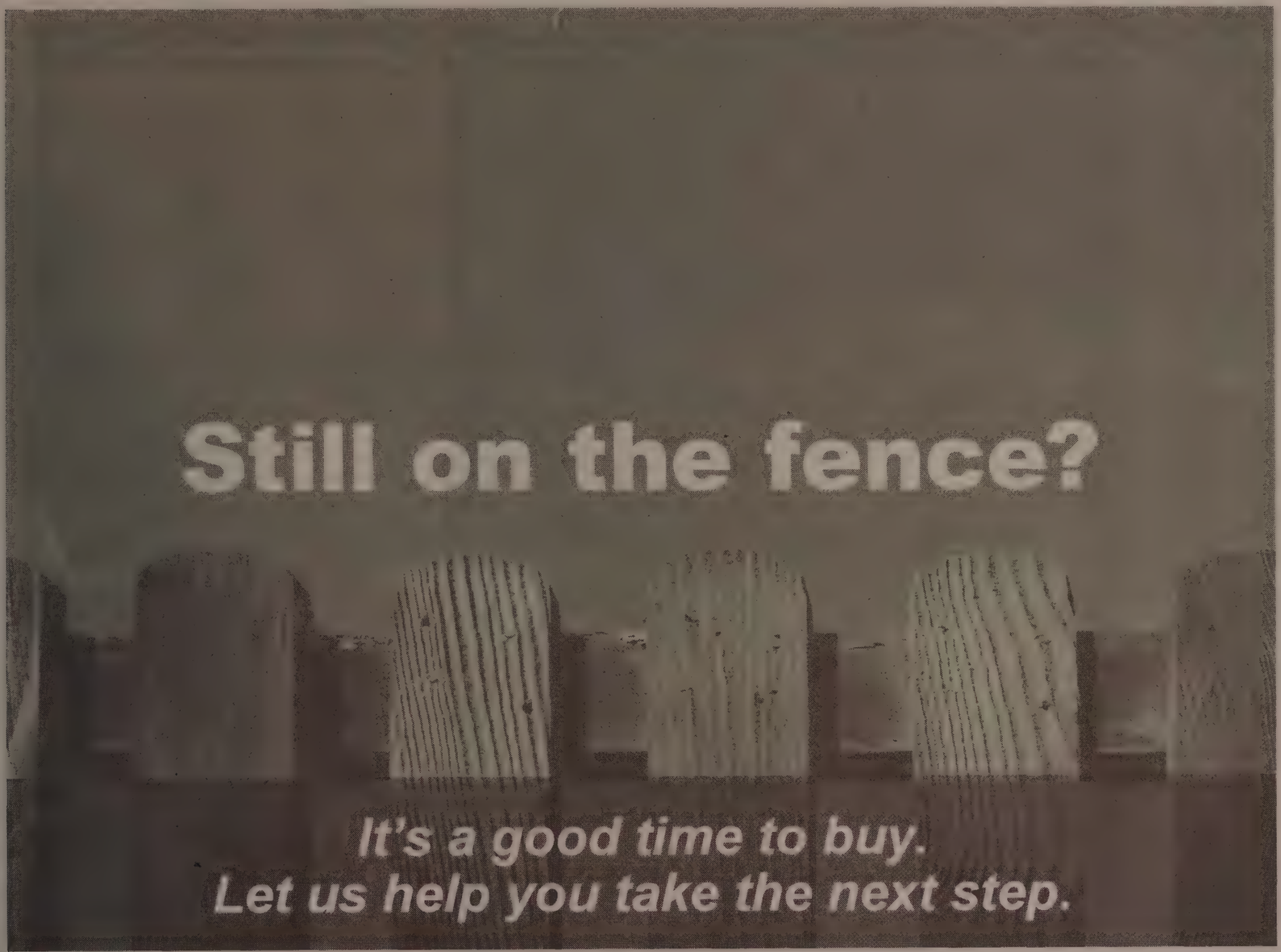

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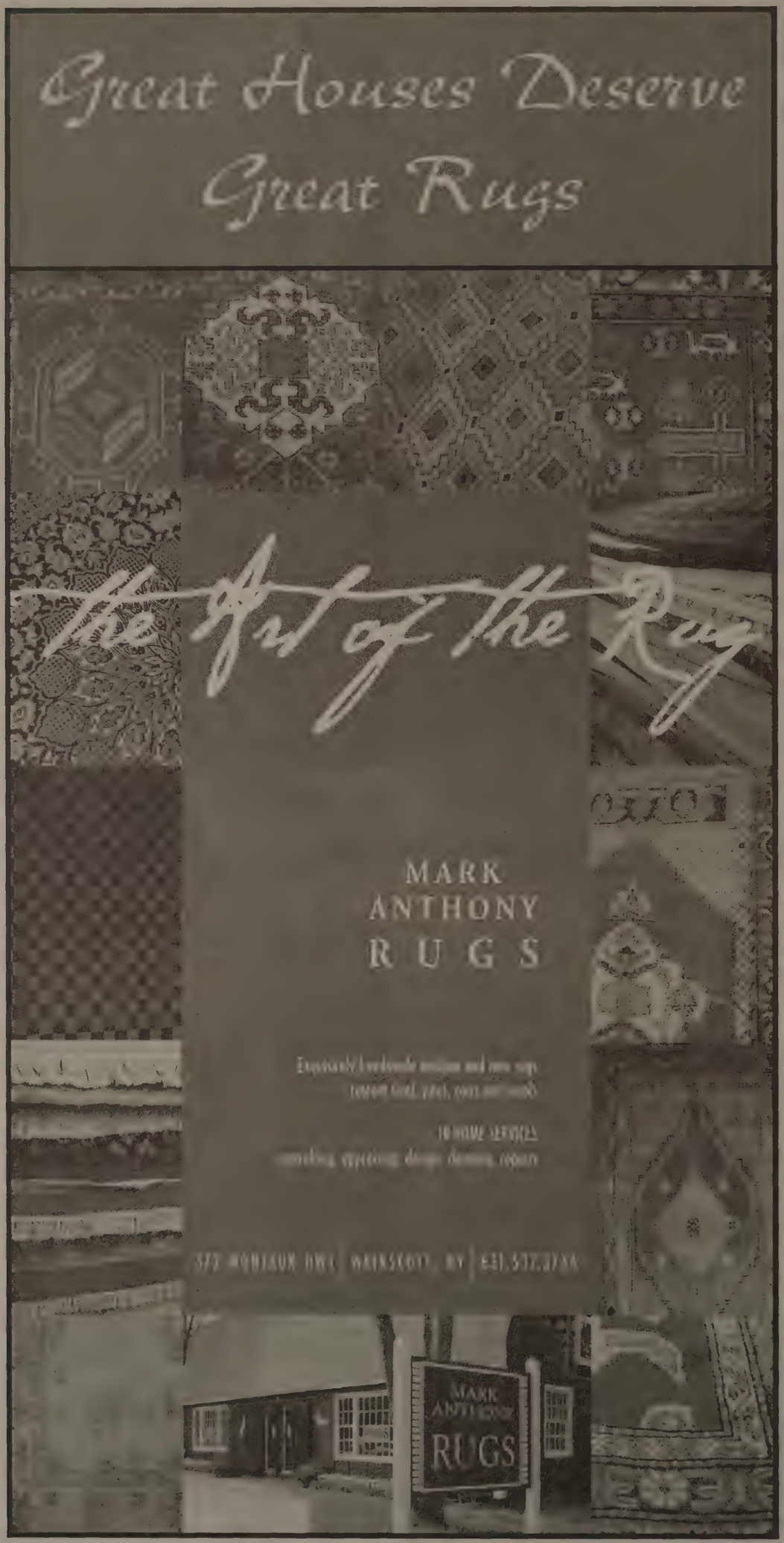

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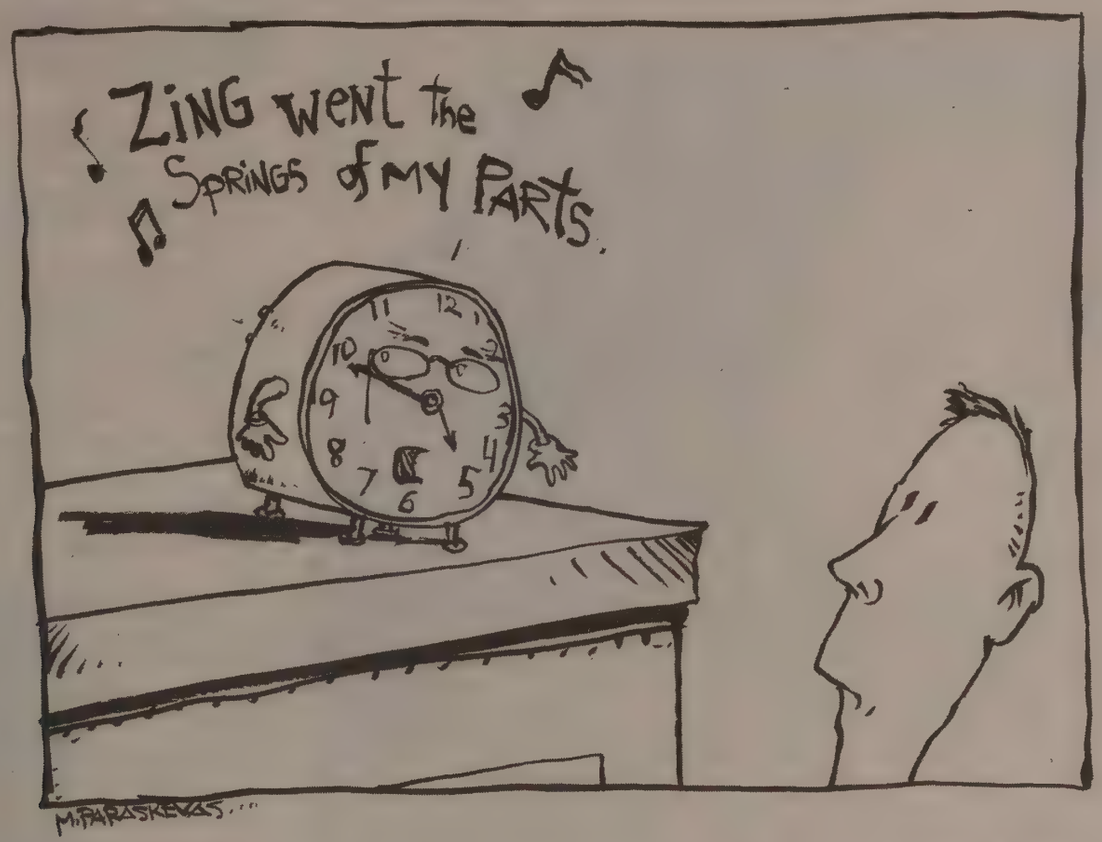

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The Tick Tock Clock Repair of Southampton to the Rescue

By Dan Rattiner

Ten years ago, I went to a yard sale and bought this wonderful mantle clock. Actually, there were two of them, virtually identical.

"Why is one fifty bucks and the other sixty?"

"The one at sixty chimes the hour," the seller said.

"But they both work?"

"Oh yes, perfectly."

I sprang for the sixty dollar one. And I soon realized that this was one of the most wonderful things I had ever come to own. For one thing, on the face it had a lightning bolt and the word ELECTRIC. When they built this, which must have been in the 1940s, having a clock that was electric was a big deal. So they were treating it as a special feature. No winding this baby. Just plug it in. The electricity does the rest.

The second thing was that it had this wonderfully clear carillon of chimes, announcing not only the hour and half hour but even every quarter hour. And it had a flaw. It would play its little tune on the quarter hour, you know the one, and then it would bong. And the bongs would be wrong. It would bong four times at two o'clock, then eleven times at three o'clock, and if it felt like it, it would bong six times at a quarter past four.

I came to really like this. People would hear it and then look puzzled. Or they'd look at their wrist. Was it really…couldn't be. And of course, the clock face itself, with the big hand and little hand telling the correct time, confirmed that it couldn't be.

I thought there was something very philosophic about this. If you looked at it, you got the right time. If you listened to it, you didn't. The clock was off somewhere else. That was fine with me.

> "I read your story about the mantle clock," he said. "And I have not been able to put it out of my mind. I am a clockmaker and I think I can fix it."

But then, as time continued on — this is not intended as a pun — and five years past, the clock mechanism began to deteriorate. It would occasionally begin making a grinding noise with all the wheels turning inside sounding like they were suddenly in trouble. And it would fall behind. You could open the back and push this little metal wheel spinning around to speed it up and the grinding would stop and it would return to a normal pace again. But then you'd have to reset the hands of the clock again.

For a long time, this grinding noise would start up just once a week and I'd open the back and give the wheel a push and reset it. But then, it began to get worse. Soon, it was doing it every day. And then every hour. And then, one day, it just began bonging and grinding endlessly and there was nothing I could do but pull its plug to make it stop. At that point, I knew the end was near.

It broke my heart to put this clock aside. But I did. I took it to a clock repair shop in Hampton Bays and they told me that they could look at it for $85 and probably fix it for $265, but maybe it would be more. From what they could see by opening the back, they didn't even think it was the original workings back there. "Things get replaced all the time," they said. "So you might not even be able to get the right part. Or even know what the right part is."

Tearfully, I put the clock up on the top of a bookcase. I could look at it from time to time and remember all the laughs we used to have. But I knew it was always two thirty six up there and that would never change. It was not

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This weekend, **Yolande Merchant** will be bringing the works of some of the Hamptons' favorite artists to a "mini-gallery" at the Hamptons Home and Garden Show, including drawings by *Dan's Papers* Publisher and Editor-in Chief, **Dan Rattiner**, watercolors by **Polly Kraft** and **William Rayner**, abstract wall hangings by **Sidney Butchkes**, **Dallas Ernst's** Wall Plates, **Christophe Von Hohenberg** photographs and abstractions by **Frank Wimberley**.

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Actor **Rick Colitti** of Southampton recently shot a television commercial with **James Gandolfini** of HBO's "The Sopranos" for American Airlines, to be shown in the United Kingdom and on the Internet. The commercial comes at a pivotal point for Colitti, as he is currently celebrating his 50th year in show business.

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Hamptons residents **Richard Gere, Alec Baldwin, Lauren Bacall, Roger Rosenblatt, Dorothy B. Cullman, Joel Grey,** and **Phyllis Newman** are among the theater and film luminaries joining in a salute to legendary acting teacher and director **Wynn Handman** and the enduring theatrical institution he co-founded, The American Place Theatre. The double header celebration, Wynn, Place & Show, will take place on May 21 at The Hudson Theatre, marking the legendary teacher's 85th birthday and the 45th anniversary of his theatre, and will feature cocktails, dinner, a specially created performance piece by **Jonathan Reynolds**, directed by **Ed Sherin**, followed by dancing to **Peter Duchin** & His Orchestra with a special performance by **Barbara Cook**. The event's title, Wynn, Place& Show, is borrowed from the title of **Jeremy Gerard's** soon to be published book about Handman and The American Place Theatre (Smith & Kraus, 2007). Also participating in the gala tribute are former students **Denzel Washington, James Caan, Michael Douglas, Joanne Washington, Morgan Freeman, Allison Janney** and **Richard Schiff**.

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Last week, **Rudy Giuliani** of Southampton and his ex-wife, **Donna Hanover**, celebrated their daughter **Caroline's** acceptance to Harvard University.

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Hamptons resident **E.L. Doctorow** introduced **Norman Mailer** at the Paris Review

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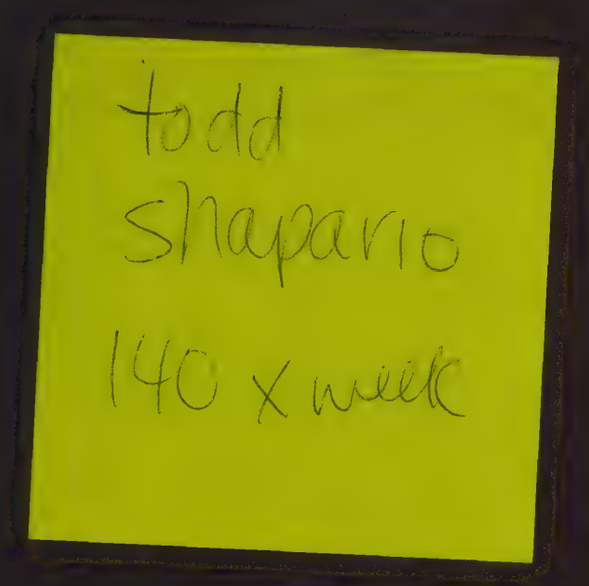
CORRECTION

In an article last week titled "William Paley At His Estate, 'Four Winds'," the story concerning a Senator referred to as "Senator Eugene McCarthy of Minnesota" was actually about Senator Joseph McCarthy of Wisconsin. *Dan's Papers* apologizes for this error.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plugged in. I decided to write about my clock for the paper. Sort of an obituary and reminisce. I did that.

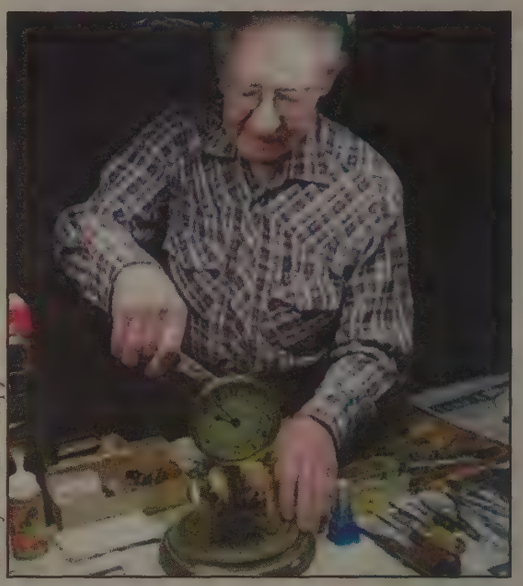
And then, about three months ago — this was now 21 days after I wrote the article — I got a call from a man who said his name was Morris Welte and he and his wife lived in Southampton.

"I read your story about the mantle clock," he said. "And I have not been able to put it out of my mind. I am a clockmaker and I think I can fix it. Or, at the least, I'd like to try. Could you bring it by?"

I told him I had already visited a clock maker and there was no point in it, but he persisted. I asked what he would charge to look at it. I told him I had only paid sixty dollars for this clock.

"I know all that from when you wrote about it," he said. "I wouldn't charge you at all. I've been reading your paper for years. You have given me considerable enjoyment. I would like to do this for you at no charge." He told me how to get to his house. I should bring the clock.

And so, in February of this year, I came to meet this older couple, Morris and Alice Welte, of Willis Lane in Southampton. They were polite and gracious. I was offered tea and cookies. And Morris gave me his card. TICK TOCK CLOCK REPAIR, it read. He told me that this is what he was doing in his retirement. And he had been retired for 25 years.



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"Just leave it with me," he said. "I should know in a few weeks."

In mid-March, I got a progress report from Morris Welte by telephone. He told me the clock had improved, but was still in intensive care.

"I'll get back to you in another week or two," he said. "The prognosis is good."

This morning, at his request, I went to his house to pick up my clock.

"All done," he said, patting it on the top of its head. The wood was all shined up. The face had been cleaned. He had it on his dining room table, all plugged in. It was humming along happily.

"I saw you sitting out in the car for a minute or two before you came to the front door," he said. "So you missed it bonging the hour. It was just a few minutes ago."

The clock said three minutes after eleven. That must have been something.

We both stood there staring at it silently,

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Blood Rails

Albino Mass Murderer Loose in the Woods in Westhampton?

By Dan Rattiner

If you thought you saw an albino serial killer limping around the Hamptons and the North Fork during the past few weeks, you would have been correct. It was, however, just scenes from a horror movie being made here, produced and directed by Frank Zagarino and starring, among others, Lou Martini of "The Sopranos," David Shark of "The Young and the Restless" and a cast of twenty, which includes six high school kids, or, as Zaparino says, "six actors from New York City who can pass for high school kids." The cinematographer is Jerry Lively, a well-known Hollywood figure who has shot such horror hits as *Friday the 13th* and *Warlock*.

The scenes for the movie were shot aboard the South Ferry — and in Peconic Bay (when the serial killer escapes) — at the "Lickety Split" ice cream parlor in Mattituck, a wooded area in Riverhead near the home of Brian Stark and at a house in Westhampton in the woods near the railroad tracks. The shoot lasted three weeks and the film should be ready for distribution sometime next year.

Frank Zagarino, the director and producer, explained the plot to me.

"An albino serial killer is being transferred from a hospital upstate to a more secure hospital prison on Long Island when, during the transfer of the prisoner on the ferry, he escapes into the bay. Three teenagers think they shot him during the escape and so, to celebrate, they go to the home of the aunt of one of them, a home that has not been inhabited for fifteen years because people think it is haunted. In this house, the kids have a party and a séance. They find that they are very, very wrong to think this house is uninhabited."

Zagarino not only produced and directed the 90-minute horror film, but starred in it as the albino.

"And yes, I had to jump into the Bay," he says.

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ODD BLACK AND WHITE BIRDS IN SAGAPONACK

By Dan Rattiner

Down on Sagg Main Beach the other day, I saw a flock of birds I had never seen before down by the water's edge. They had thin yellow beaks and legs, long white necks, black wings and thick white bodies. Flying off and circling around, as sea birds are wont to do occasionally, they made quite a sight. With the very pronounced black and white, they set my mind to thinking of flying pinto horses from the wild west, although much smaller, of course.

Two days later, down at the same beach, they were there again. I really wondered about them now. Were they here to stay? We have seagulls, plovers, sandpipers and an occasional egret or two out on the beach. If these pintos are trying to move into the neighborhood, it's a big deal.

Back at the office in Bridgehampton, I mentioned what I had seen to Sabrina, who is our resident bird watcher. She ventured that they might be Western Gulls, and she emailed me a picture of one. I told her the Western Gull was too turkey-like. These guys are more graceful and have long legs and hooked beaks. I also told her she ought to drive down to Sagg Main to see them, whatever they are. Maybe she could identify them that way.

We've just come back from a trip to the Pacific Northwest and the Canadian Rockies. Three times, out on the Olympic Peninsula, we stopped what we were doing — once at a breakfast, when everyone got up and ran to a window — to look at Bald Eagles perched up high in evergreen trees. Bald eagles were going extinct just a few years ago. Now, they are coming back — and what a majestic bird they are. They have eight-foot wingspans and glide and float on the air currents without appearing to exert even the slightest effort. And boy, are they fabulous. They aren't on the insignia of

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He's produced several horror and suspense films in the past and has acted in more than 40 films during the last 25 years while filmmaking in Los Angeles. Most of the films he was involved with are B-Movies. He's currently living in Mattituck.

"I thought I had been in Los Angeles long enough," he told me. "I was originally a Long Islander, attending school in Merrick before I went to LA. Our family has owned a summer home in Mattituck since 1946. I'd been out here every summer as a kid and I love it out here. So I decided to move here and raise my own family here."

Zagarino and his wife, actress Elizabeth Giordano, moved here in 2002 and founded the Frank Zagarino Acting School in Mattituck. Soon thereafter, they rented space in Riverhead and Frank has been teaching there ever since. Currently, there are about fifteen students at the school, which is in the Vail-Leavitt Theatre at 18 Peconic Avenue, Riverhead.

Among Zagarino's considerable acting credits are *Baby It's You*, made in 1983 and starring Rosanna Arquette and Francis Ford Coppola, *the Barbarian Queen,* a 1985 film in which he played Argan, *Striker*, made in 1987, in which he played Slade, *ShadowChaser* in 1995, where he played the character Romulus, several sequels of *ShadowChaser,* in which he played an Android, *Airboss*, made in 1997,

where he played the lead character, Frank White, and *Convict 762* where he played one of the two leads, who are the only men still alive on a planet far, far away. He's also appeared in TV soap operas, including "Dynasty." He's worked with Sylvestor Stallone. And he's been an actor in another 34 films.

His last movie-making effort in LA was as producer, director and star of the film *Never Look Back*, released in 2000, directed by Bert Young and co-starring Charles Durning.

Here on Eastern Long Island, Zagarino forsees a big future for filmmaking.

"The scenery here is very diverse. The place is beautiful. And there is considerable interest in movie making. I hope to produce two or three films a year here. I am particularly interested in filming a movie called *Satellite Summer*, a script I have seen about a piece of a satellite that three eleven-year-old boys watch fall into Peconic Bay. They retrieve it and then are pursued by the maker of the satellite, who wants it back. But the real plot of this movie is about three eleven-year-olds coming of age. If I make that, I predict it will be another *Stand By Me*."

Two years ago, Zagarino went to the parents of a thirteen-year-old girl taking his acting classes at night and told them he thought she had tremendous potential. Today, Taylor Gildersleeve is completing her junior year at Mattituck High School but is also coming to the end of the first year of a two-year contract to play the character Sidney in the TV soap opera "All My Children." She was in 89 episodes this first year and will be in 130 episodes the second.

"There are several others at the acting school who have this much talent," he says. "And I am encouraging them too."

Frank Zagorino is a welcome addition to the East End scene. •

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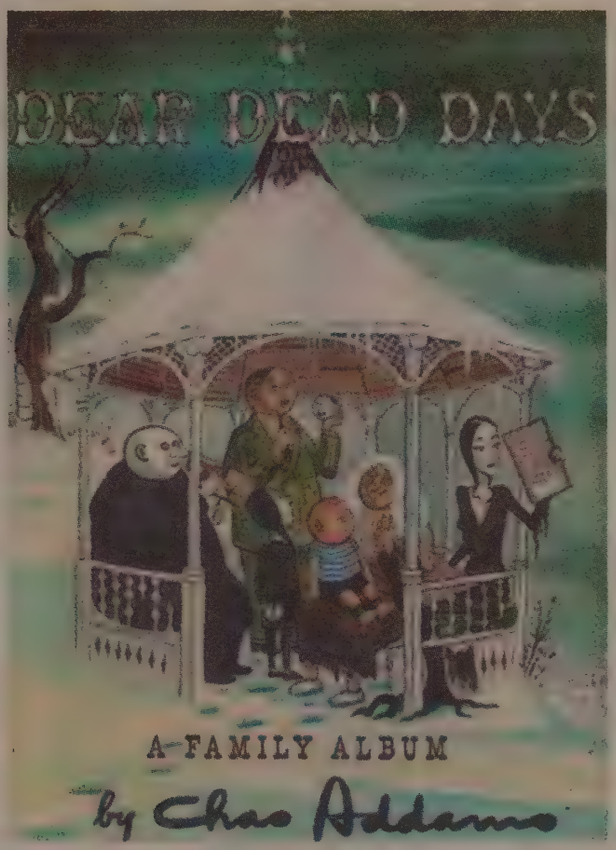

"The Addams Family"

The Unusual Life of Lady Coylton, Wife of Baron Henry Hopkins

By Dan Rattiner

Elaine Benson, the late art gallery owner, came home from the beach one day some years ago to tell me a remarkable story about what had happened there. She was, at this time, married to Joe Kauffman. Her friend, Tee Addams, was married to the cartoonist Charles Addams. The Addams and Kauffmans had met only a few weeks earlier because of the art gallery, had hit it off and decided they would become friends. Thus, the day at the beach.

"We'd had a lunch on our beach blanket and usually, as you know, Joe doesn't talk much. But in this case, he just opened up. He really liked Charles. Kindrid spirits."

I knew Joe Kauffman as a sort of retired historian who read books while his wife ran the gallery in Bridgehampton. He had something of a British accent and at one time, I had asked him about his past. He told me he had been born to and raised by an American woman living at the Ritz Hotel in Paris, perhaps the most expensive and elegant hotel in the world at the time. His mother had fancied herself a member of high society, which she wasn't, but to stake her claim she had taken up residence at the hotel and was frequently seen on the arm of a prince, a duke or a marquee. Joe said he had been home-schooled as a boy, but in great circumstances there at the hotel. He was a sort of a European Eloise.

In any case, Joe inherited quite a fortune when his mother died, which she did when Joe was 20. Over the next 30 years, he married and divorced five times. Each time, he told me, his ex would get half of his fortune. When it got down to the fifth one, he gathered up what little remained, came to America and found Elaine. He was happy to be at peace here with Elaine and his history books for the rest of his life.

"What happened at the beach," Elaine said, "was that — as Joe described all his wives one after another — at a certain wife, Charles Addams perked up. By a remarkable coincidence, he too had been married to her. But then the conversation moved on."

Later that afternoon at the beach, it became apparent to Elaine that Charles Addams was trying to herd Joe down to the water's edge, alone. Finally, he succeeded, and there, with both men staring out to sea, he had spoken a few words to Joe and Joe had replied with a few words. Then they came back to the beach blanket.

"What did Charles say to you?" Elaine asked Joe when they were back at the gallery.

"He asked me what I thought of Barbara," Joe said.

"And what did you say?"

"I said WHICH Barbara? And that was the end of the conversation."

It is likely that the Barbara in question was Barbara Barb, and though she died at the age of 84 three years ago, she was in the news this past week. In Sagaponack, where Tee Addams, the widow of Charles Addams, still lives, it was announced that all the rights to the cartoons of Charles Addams and his other works would now be controlled by Tee Addams, not Barbara Barb, and that there would soon be an attempt to mount a Broadway Show of "The Addams Family" by Broadway producer Stuart Oken. There would be many other ways to market the legacy of Charles Addams. There had been

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"The Addams Family" TV show and movies that had been a great success, of course, when Barbara Barb was in charge, but not much else. Barbara Barb was married to Charles Addams for only two years, from 1954 to 1956. And yet, even when Joe and Elaine hosted Tee and Charles at the beach years later, Barbara Barb was still making all the decisions and pocketing 75% of everything that came in.

How in the world had she arranged that?

According to Tee Adams and those that represent her, Barbara Barb was born in Brooklyn in 1920 as Estelle Barb, taking the name "Barbara" during law school. She became Barbara Addams for the two years she was married to the cartoonist, and then shortly after they were divorced became Lady Coylton by marrying an English Baron named Henry Lennox D'Aubigne Hopkins, the first Baron Coylton, who had been a diplomat during the administration of Winston Churchill. And somewhere in there she was married to Joe Kauffman, living with him in post-war Paris.

Photo by Davis A. Gaffga

Tee and Charles

How she talked Charles Addams into signing over 75% of the rights to his work is not known, but from the documents presented by Lady Coylton to Tee's lawyer after Charles' death in 1988, it happened while they were married. There was nothing that Tee could do, except to wait for checks to arrive from Lady Coylton for Tee's 25% share. There were substantial monies involved. For the film "The Addams Family," Tee got a check in the mail for about a million dollars. Lady Coylton apparently had received four.

Lady Coylton got considerable press during her lifetime, and those who wrote about her present her as a manipulative, seductive, attractive woman out for the money, no matter what she had to do get it. And she did.

After Lady Coylton died in 2002, Tee Addams and her lawyer decided to make an aggressive effort to buy the rights to Charles' Addams work from the heirs of Lady Coylton. Lady Coylton had no children, but there were cousins.

Tee and her attorney, Michael Solomon, looked into the dealings of Lady Coylton, which, as owners of 25% of the property, they had a right to do, and discovered that Lady Coylton, on several occasions, had shorted Tee Addams. It doesn't appear to have been malicious. But she did it, nevertheless. For example, Lady Coylton agreed to donate nearly $10 million to the University of Pennsylvania so that a lecture hall could be built there with Charles Addams' name on it and in the check she wrote she included Tee's share. But, she never asked her.

As the cousins of Lady Coylton were unfamiliar with what to do with Charles Addams' artistic rights, they decided to put what they had inherited up for sale. But now, there were leans on the property from lawsuits filed by Tee. So Tee Addams was the obvious buyer.

"Lady Coylton's estate is far richer than anything that Tee has, so we were reluctant to get into a court fight," said Solomon, "but we could have held up a sale with our liens for several years, and who knew how that might have come out? So when we made them an offer, which was just about every penny that Tee has, they took it."

Some say that in the movie "The Addams Family," there is a character modeled after Lady Coylton. It would be the gold digger wife of Uncle Fester. Rent it and see it for yourself.

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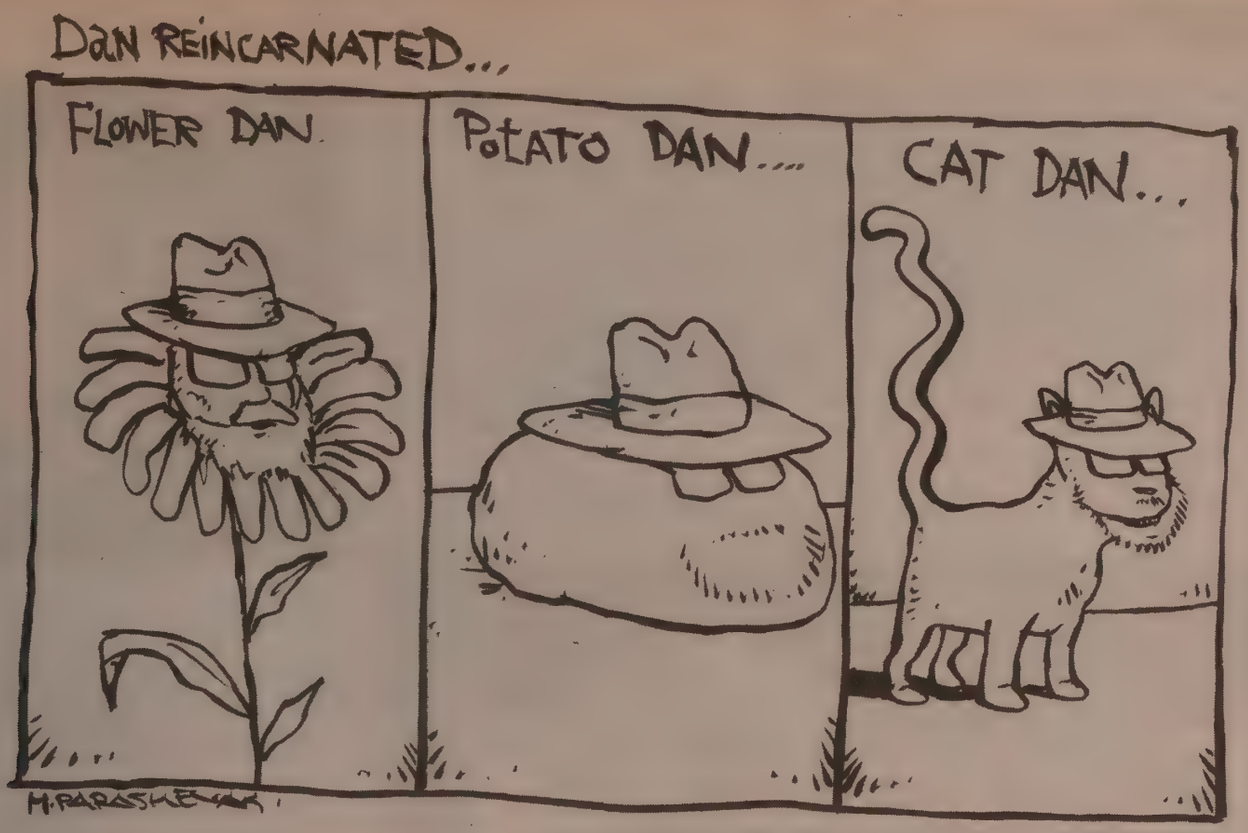

Reincarnation Rocks

It's a Great Relief to Find Life May Exist on Planet 581 c

By Dan Rattiner

In the last issue of this newspaper, I sort of bared my soul about my spiritual beliefs. I said that I think I have a soul, or, to put it more accurately, a soul has me. When my body dies, my soul goes off to some special place and gets reassigned to a new body, which could be another human being, a dog, a leopard, a dandelion or a whale. My soul then lives that life. Then, it goes through the process again. And somewhere in the interval after one creature dies and another is born, my soul gets judged about how it did during each life it lived. How it does affects the next assignment.

I have believed this all my life. And during the last ten years, as I wrote last week, I have become quite depressed about this. Given global warming, coming back here is going to be quite a challenge. I really wonder if I could come back here or not. Could I really deal with underwater cities, floods, heat and typhoons? What's a poor soul to do?

Well, I have been thinking, to buck myself up, maybe we'll stop it. And everything will be all right. It's a hope, anyway.

Now, however, I see that I have been looking at this with a very narrow perspective. I have been thinking about it only in terms of Earth. It turns out, I should have been thinking in terms of the universe. God did create the universe, after all.

Last week, astronomers announced that after almost a half a century of searching by telescope, they have found that there is a planet very much capable of having life as we know it on it, in another solar system not so far away.

It is called Planet 581 c and it is orbiting a sun somewhat like ours called Gliese 581 in the constellation Libra. That it is in one of the solar systems quite near to us is intriguing, because we haven't noticed this before. But then again, we haven't had telescopes as powerful as those we have now. Planet 581 c is half again larger than earth, it is half again heavier, and it seems to be made of the same stuff we have here. Certainly, it is quite capable of having water. The temperature on this planet ranges between a really quite pleasant 32 to 104 degrees.

581 c — they do have to get a better name for this place — was discovered by one of the half-dozen multi-national consortiums of scientist in the business of looking for life in outer space. Specifically, the consortium is called the European Southern Observatory, and the discovery was made at that consortium's telescope in La Silla, Chile.

There are similarities between these planets, but there are differences too. Differences, as you know, are what make the world go 'round. 581 c has a stronger gravity than we do, so a 140-pound person will think he weighs 230 pounds and will have to drag himself around to get from one place to another. The planet circles its sun every thirteen days, so just as you're getting used to one year, on comes the next. 581 c does not spin as it orbits its sun, so one side of it is always in daylight and the other always in the dark. Its sun, which is cooler and dimmer than our sun (it's a red dwarf), provides about as much sunlight as we get here, but only because this planet is much closer to it than we are to our sun. For that reason, the residents there get

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quite an amazing view — its sun appears twenty times the size of ours. And they can look right at it.

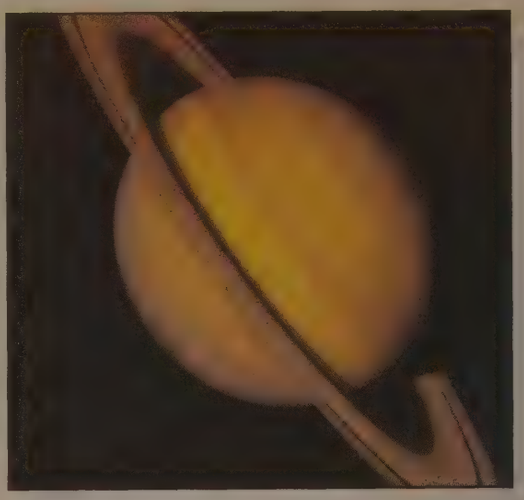
Well, I can live with this. And I can live with coming here and struggling along a few more times before getting the good ticket to Planet 581 c.

So things aren't that bad after all. It's all a matter of perspective. I've got a whole universe to consider coming back to, not just scraggly little Earth.

Sometimes, I think I should form my own religion with this reincarnation thing as its central belief. It also involves a belief in God. And it involves an afterlife, sort of. It involves judgment and morality. I'd call us the Reincarnationites. And I could be its leader. It's good to be the leader.

Many astronomers have been interviewed by the media in the last few days about 581 c. One of them, retired NASA astronomer Steve Maran, who is now the press officer for the American Astronomical Society, said, rather ruefully, that it was important to realize "we don't know how to get to places such as 581 c in a human lifetime."

And that's true. Indeed, I remember being a small boy when they built the Arricebo Space Telescope in the mountains of Puerto Rico. They soon began sending out messages to creatures in outer space to see if anybody was out there. "Calling outer space. Anybody out there?



Call us back." We didn't have astronauts and cosmonauts then. We were just broadcasting over radio waves. And if somebody out there DID hear our message and respond, it would take 20,000 years for the message to get back to us. What a big deal waste of time THAT is, is what I thought.

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the United States of America for nothing.

On the other hand, we also saw four nasty-looking black Ravens, big as turkeys, fighting over garbage in a parking lot in Banff. Everyone walking down the street gave them a wide berth. You didn't want to mess with these guys, with their beady little eyes, bad attitudes and razor-sharp beaks.

With our luck, these new pinto birds at Sagg will turn out to be endangered, so we'll have more protected nests to be careful not to step on at the beach. •

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Beach Party

It's $2,500 to Get a Village Permit for a Catered Party This Year

By David Lion Rattiner

If you want to throw a beach party in the Hamptons, you might have to whip out your checkbook big time. Last Tuesday the Southampton Village Board voted to raise the cost of beach party permit fees this summer. In the past, beach parties that have caterers, regardless of size, have cost $250 to have legally with a permit. But Southampton Village has changed this, making the size of the party and whether or not you are a resident, the real indicators as to how much a person needs to dish out to the Village to get approval.

The difference for residents and non-residents and corporations is dramatic. A person who is a resident of the village who wants to throw a party on the beach with 101 or more people will have to pay a total of $350, plus a $500 deposit for beach cleanup.

A non-resident or corporation that wants to do 101-200 people will be charged $2,500 plus the $500 deposit. If you want to go beyond 200, you have to pay $5,000 plus deposit. And if you want a big white tent on the beach, it's going to cost you a $100 extra fee for one.

So what does this mean when it comes to throwing a catered beach party in Southampton? Well, it means one of two things. Either the big corporations whose C.E.O.'s don't have houses in Southampton are going to either pay up, or they are going to make friends with a resident willing to throw the party for them.

But the interesting thing to think about is, how far are these permits going to go? And will people try to get around these permits? You can probably count on it.

Almost all of us have sat out on the beach with some food to have a picnic and to enjoy the ocean. You figure that maybe ten people are usually at these things. They don't have to pay anything as of today to do this, so long as it's not catered, so a person who is a non-resident who wants to throw a beach party with 50 people or less may try to get out of the $2,500 he or she

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LET'S GO SHOPPING IN RALPHAMPTON FOR THE DAY

By T.J. Clemente

Ralph Lauren, the talented businessman and clothing designer who keeps a residence on the Old Montauk Highway along the ocean in Montauk, has opened a new Polo store in East Hampton just for children. The store is located just a few paces west of his adult clothing store. This new store will be yet another example of elegance, good taste and high quality clothing being presented in an almost art gallery setting in East Hampton.

The new store opened this past weekend and was visited by many of the people walking up Main Street, drawn to its classic style. Inside, grandparents seemed thrilled at the opportunity to buy something for the grandchildren they missed. I watched a Polo-clad couple excitedly picking out new items for their children. Clothing items seem to be smartly marketed for successful shoppers. The merchandise is not inexpensive, but value-oriented, using the Lauren brand to insure a high level of quality for the youngsters.

The signature feature in this new store has to be the tree house that is itself a work of art. Painted white, the tree rises well over two stories high and is something that must be seen. The branches support a tree house that has an upscale Disney World effect that draws the eyes inward and upward. Photos inside the store are prohibited in order to protect content and the rights of those shopping in the store.

The new staff is polite and seasoned, coming from other stores in the Ralph Lauren empire. The clothing ranges from up-to-the-moment political tee shirts with Guantanamo Bay, Cuba antiquely printed on the front, to the usual childrenized Polo shirts, for boys and girls. Delicate, knitted wares for infants are also a specialty. Beautiful dresses for the very young seem to be designed directly from a

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MAKING *DIGGERS* ON LI'S EAST END

By Victoria L. Cooper

On a bright July morning in 2005, the day began just like any other for John and Maryann Gaeta of Mastic, a small hamlet on the southeastern tip of the Town of Brookhaven. John sorted through his mail and came across a flimsy flyer that read something to the effect of, "We would like to use your house for a film. Please call this number for more information." John did not take the flyer seriously and tossed it in the garbage among the other pieces of junk mail. A few days later, he heard a knock on his front door and was greeted by five or six producers and cameramen dressed in chic city attire — not so common in the village of Mastic. "Have you received our flyer?" one of the men asked. Not having anticipated their arrival, John invited the group inside his house and allowed the cameramen to take additional pictures of the property.

Photo by Melissa Gaeta

The producers explained that they had been scouring the East End of Long Island from the waterways and from the road for the picture-perfect house to film some scenes of the movie *Diggers*, which opened last Friday in Sayville and New York City. Hollywood, as they say, had arrived.

The house, which was built in 1969, is V-shaped from both the front and the back and has thick cedar-shake siding. The backyard has a gentle, rolling slope that overlooks the Forge River, which leads out and into Moriches Bay. The Gaetas moved into the house twelve years ago and have not needed to modernize any of the outside trimmings or furnishings. The producers felt as though this was the ideal setting for many of the most poignant scenes in *Diggers*.

After explaining what inconveniences the Gaeta family would incur because of the taping, John and Maryann agreed to let them use the house, especially when they learned what the plot of the movie would be. John is a passionate fisherman and enjoys going fishing during the summer months in his free time. He has the perfect place to do it too, right there in his backyard. *Diggers* is a story about the lives of a few clam diggers in the 1970s, set just down the road in Moriches. Ken Marino, a Long Island native who was born in West Islip and grew up in Moriches, wrote *Diggers*. He is famous for his work on television shows such as "Dawson's Creek" and "Arrested Development" and for his role as co-creator of the MTV show, "The State." His father, uncle and grandfather were all clam diggers and he has been quoted as saying that the story is not truly autobiographical, but is centered loosely on memories of when his father was a clam digger. Marino stated that, "the movie is a love letter to where I grew up and to my parents. Getting the funds to make a film like this was very tough, but it happened and I'm very glad my family can see it." Katerine Dieckman directed the film. Other members of the cast included Lauren Ambrose ("Six Feet Under"), Paul Rudd (*Anchor Man*, *40-Year-Old-Virgin*) and Maura Tierney ("ER"), among others.

A month after the producers pulled into the Gaetas' driveway, carloads of the cast and crew began arriving and taping at their house. So what really happens when Hollywood knocks on your door? Well, first of all, they work very long hours. I spoke with Melissa Gaeta, John and Maryann's daughter, who is a certified EMT and by chance, was hired by the cast and crew to replace a Medic who was unable to be present at the film shoot. She explained to me that, "it was a huge eye-opener to see how hard the entire crew works. What you may think is a simple, 30-second conversation may take up to six or seven times to get just right." Melissa helped keep the group hydrated during the long, hot hours and was taken aback by how down-to-earth and personable many of these well-respected actors and actresses are.

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Pedal, Pedal, Pedal

Southampton Creates Bike Lanes and Trails To Connect Town

By Emily J. Weitz

In a place where a commitment to the environment is integral to town identity, we are taking a step closer to living in harmony with nature. Groups like the Nature Conservancy and the Peconic Land Trust, as well as the town preservation societies, work tirelessly to preserve the natural splendor of the East End. But then we come in, engines revving, in our Jeeps and our Hummers, our Explorers and our Land Rovers. And we burn up non-renewable sources and we breathe chalky exhaust into the crisp ocean air. Fuel-guzzling four-wheelers are among our culture's greatest addictions, and the East End is no exception.

But honestly — what choice do we have? Everything is so spread out that there is just no walking to dinner, and public transportation is patchy. So we've kept off the dunes and donated to the Nature Conservancy and recycled our papers and plastics, puttering our way between environmentally conscious activities, always in our personal vehicles. Until now.

Finally, a proposal four years in the making has been presented to the town of Southampton to make the roads more accessible to an earth-friendly alternative to driving: bikes. The 11-person Southampton Bike Lane Advisory Committee has been in charge of identifying which public roads will be able to accommodate bike lanes. By working with the Division of Geographic Information Systems, this committee mapped out a plan for town officials to consider. The goal of these new bike lanes is to link the eastern and western halves of Southampton with a network of bike-friendly roads. These proposed lanes will safely guide cyclists through the village centers, as well as to significant attractions like beaches and recreation centers. With no emissions and no energy demands, except the power generated from your own legs, biking is a great way to offset your impact on the environment. In addition, it's a great way to get some exercise in

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NEIGHBORS SCRUTINIZE BULLS HEAD INN PLAN

By Sabrina C. Mashburn

Since May of 2006, the citizens of Bridgehampton have had the Bulls Head Inn property, right smack in the middle of town, on their minds. At first, they were overjoyed that the old building was going to be revamped, saving it from falling into disrepair. However, once the developer revealed his plans for the building, most people in the community turned their backs on the project. The developer, Miaco LLC president Bill Campbell, had wanted to turn the Bulls Head Inn into a reincarnation of its former self. However, wanting to be current and offer everything a new hotel should, as well as glean some sort of return on his investment, Mr. Campbell also wanted to build a full service spa on the property. This is where the citizens have drawn the line. Why? They feel that a spa would attract more out of town visitors than an inn without a spa and that there is no need for yet another spa in town. Many feel that, with the addition of a spa, the site will become too attractive for those looking to host upscale events such as weddings. But Mr. Campbell claims that there is not enough space for such events and that he is simply trying to revamp the property to its utmost potential.

Currently, the plan for the building includes 22 guest rooms, four guest cottages with three bedrooms each, a restaurant in the main building with a capacity for 66 patrons, a 69-space parking lot, a 50-person conference area and a combined spa and wellness center. To house these facilities, it was necessary for Mr. Campbell to purchase the two lots surrounding the property, including one that is the current site of the Rose House Barn. As of April 19, the plan for the main building included increasing the height of an existing extension to make it more congruous to the rest of the building,

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without feeling like a hamster in a wheel at the gym.

The bike lanes are intended for more than just environmental and health concerns, however. A portion of the workforce currently uses either public transportation or bikes. People who ride bikes on main roads without a designated lane are faced with a serious safety risk. Town Councilman Steve Kenny backs the bike proposal as a means of serving this part of the population.

The advisory committee has done detailed research to figure out exactly what this plan requires. Certain roads are eligible for the bike lanes, and others are not. It depends on several factors. First and foremost, the width of the road must be taken into consideration. On very narrow roads, it would be unsafe and impractical to install bike lanes. The committee is using the New York State Department of Transportation guidelines to delineate the acceptable numbers. Streets that are more than 32 feet wide are excellent candidates for the project, because they can fit two five-foot bike lanes, as well as two 11-foot wide vehicle lanes. Any road that measures between 28 and 32 feet wide may be suitable depending on traffic and other considerations. Roads narrower than 28 feet are probably not sufficiently wide to accommodate bike lanes. However, there are some alternatives to two full bike lanes. Since there are several major roads that are between 20 and 28 feet wide, the town may consider installing "Share the Road" signs along the shoulder so that motorists know it is their responsibility to respect cyclists.

Another factor that must be considered as the committee plans which roads will have bike lanes is the jurisdiction of the road. In other words, certain roads in Southampton town are the responsibility of the town and others are the responsibility of the County. For example, the Bridgehampton/Sag Harbor Turnpike is a County road, so the town needs to go to the next step of getting County permission to alter this road.

While the ultimate plan is far from finalized, this was a major first step in linking the sprawling town of Southampton by earth-friendly, health-friendly, cost-friendly bike lanes. Some roads that have been proposed as potential candidates for bike lanes are listed below:

Westhampton: Speonk-Riverhead Road, South County Road, Old Country Road and Stewart Avenue

East Quogue: Lewis Road and Head of Lots Road

Hampton Bays: Ponquogue Avenue, Good Ground Road, Shinnecock Road, Argonne Road East and Old Riverhead Road

North Sea and Noyac: North Sea Road and Noyac Road

Bridgehampton and Southampton: Scuttle Hole Road, Head of Pond Road, Lower Seven Ponds Road, Seven Ponds Road and David Whites Lane

The chairman of the Advisory Committee, Reynolds Dodson, pointed out that recognizing which roads have the potential to accommodate bike lanes is "only the beginning." To turn Southampton into a truly bike-friendly town will take a lot more work. But it will pay off when we are able to spend the summers whizzing past bumper-to-bumper traffic on our way to the sandy beaches. And when we arrive, sweat glistening on our foreheads, there will be no hassle to park, and we can lock up our bikes and run straight into the crashing waves. After all, there's no need for air conditioning with the wind in your hair, and there's no need for cars when the bike lanes are open.

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has to pay by hosting five "separate" parties of ten people each and have the catering company disguise themselves as just part of the party. Haha, what will they do then?

Well, the police force in Southampton will most likely figure out what's going on and then you'll get the $2,500 bill in the mail plus a fine. I wouldn't recommend trying this. But you know somebody will.

Let's say that you are not going to do this and you are going to do everything by the book and plan on throwing a party as a non-resident with fewer then 50 people, pay your permit fees, and then it rains on your party one hour after it starts. Well then you are in a real pickle. Paying

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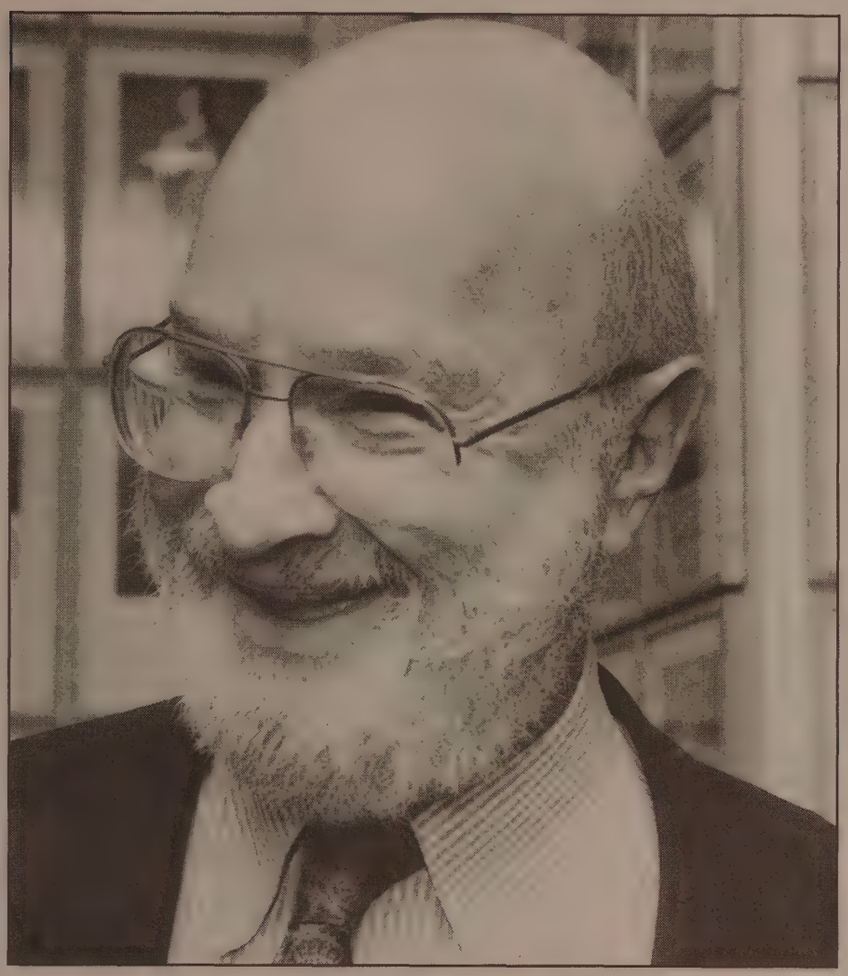

Jules Feiffer
Cartoonist

By Janet Berg

Jules Feiffer, the well-known American cartoonist, author, playwright and screenwriter, has been praised with so many accolades, you could fill a book. His awards include an Oscar for *Munro* (animated Short Film (1961), his OBIE Award for the play *Little Murders* (1968), his Pulitzer Prize for Editorial Cartooning (1986), the Venice Film Festival Best Screenplay for *I Want To Go Home* (1989) and his accomplishments are still forthcoming.

So what is Mr. Write doing right, aside from everything? The 78-year-old with the youthful bounce in his stride, explains just that in his upcoming memoir, *Backing Into Forward*, where the working artist shows how he has come to believe over the years that, no matter what safe advice others have given him, no matter how he's defied the rules and royally screwed up, he remained loyal to his gut feeling.

His creative genius has also found a quiet spot in the Hamptons by the sea, where he's started a book for his musical, based on his first children's novel, *The Man in the Ceiling*, which Walt Disney has optioned for Broadway.

When Jules is not at his Upper West Side apartment with his wife Jenny and adopted daughter, Julie, or in Martha's Vineyard, you may also find him teaching a Truth and Humor class at Stony Brook Southampton, where students are told to write using their unconscious mind. "Truth comes first," he says. "How we see the world. The humor is how we deal with it."

He instructs a dozen aspiring writers to depict insightful characters, complex and full of conflict. "It's not necessary to curse or shout. It's hard to touch real anger. Throw good logic to the wind, like the aunt who says what everybody else is thinking."

He has also taught at the Yale School of Drama and Northwestern University and was a Senior Fellow at Columbia University's National Arts Journalism Program.

Mr. Feiffer grew up in the Bronx during The Depression with his mother, a fashion designer, who sometimes locked herself in the attic with her work and ruled their family world, and a quiet Jewish father, whom he always thought of as a "tenant" in the house, who said very little except, "Yes dear,'" and his older sister, Mimi, and younger sister, Alice.

"When it came to the outside world, however, our mother's fear of it was so abnormal that it became clear to us kids that we were, in a sense, in a state of free fall, completely dependent upon each other and ourselves, and in a crisis situation, we would be abandoned. This taught me a lot about parenting. So that, when I did have my own children, I could think about what my parents did, and do the opposite."

"I was shy," Jules said, "I still am. I had to make jokes to survive." When Jules, picked up a pen, at the age of six, he turned it into a magical instrument, transforming clean white paper into super heroes he made up in his head. His favorite mainstream heroes were Flash Gordon, Popeye, and Terry and the Pirates. The New York boy's dreams came true in 1949 with his first comic feature, Clifford, and since 1956, Feiffer's editorial cartooning had been featured in the Village Voice, the first alternative newspaper, and he entertained readers for 42 years with an internationally syndicated comic strip simply named, "Feiffer."

During the turbulent 60s, Feiffer strayed from traditional journalism and went against the mainstream as the first cartoonist to come out against the war in Vietnam, when he targeted Presidents Johnson and Richard Nixon, and didn't hold back his views on hypocrisy and the generation gap. Feiffer's liberal freedom of speech made satire meaningful at a time when the nation thirsted for it. His take on comedic tragedy goes back to his short animated film *Munro* (1961) about a four-year-old boy who is mistakenly drafted into the army and cannot persuade authorities that he doesn't belong there.

During the end of the Korean War, years earlier in 1951, he was drafted in real life and found it difficult to adapt to all the discipline and regulations. It was during this time that the rebellious 21-year-old Feiffer met a sweet, elderly man who encouraged him to do what he always wanted — be creative.

"It was during the height of McCarthyism and I was enraged by being drafted — how dare they interrupt my career? Even though I only had an imaginary career at the time." He laughed. This motivated Feiffer's radical thinking.

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Jules' drawings appear to be real and effortlessly sketchy, as if he holds a feather pen loosely in his hand, giving grace to the simple delivery of his spirit. His work has appeared in *Esquire*, *The Nation*, *New Yorker*, the *New York Times* and *Playboy*. One of his characters, called "The Dancer," portrays his first girlfriend, who slides across the dance floor onto his paper, seemingly jointless, a scraggly-haired woman in leotards. Feiffer had always admired Fred Astaire, who he said symbolized everything that lifted him out of the Bronx life he found depressing and demoralizing. "I knew there was a better world

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benefit at New York City's Puck Building last week, where Mailer and **Benjamin Perry** were honored for their accomplishments in fiction writing.

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Amagansett resident **Sarah Jessica Parker** is debuting her new fashion line this month and will be gracing the cover of *Glamour* magazine next month.

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Last week was a busy one for Amagansett resident **Alec Baldwin**. The actor went to see *Prelude to a Kiss* on Broadway, was interviewed on "The View" and also requested that a video clip of his phone message to his daughter posted on funnyordie.com be removed.

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Last week, former **Presidents George Bush, Sr.** and **Bill Clinton** posed in the replicated Oval Office in Clinton's Little Rock presidential library, much to the delight of visitors that day.

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Hope Taft, wife of ex-Ohio **Governor Bob Taft**, presented Hamptons philanthropist **Adele C. Smithers** with the President's Call to Service Award and a letter from the President at Tavern on The Green in New York City last week. The Award is "in recognition and appreciation of your commitment to strengthening our Nation and for making a difference through volunteer service." Mrs. Taft is a member of the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation.

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Lawyer **Michael J. Griffith** of Amagansett has recently gained a new client, socialite **Ildiko Varga**, the Varga Crystal CEO. She is expected to be called as a witness in a trial involving **Veronica Atkins**, widow of diet guru Dr. Robert Atkins, and her new husband, **Alexis Mersentes**. The suit concerns the three trustees of the Atkins estate.

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Montauk resident **Debra Markowitz** has just published a new novel, *Naked in the Rain*, about an older woman and a younger man who kindle a relationship in Montauk. Debra Markowitz is the Nassau County Film Commissioner as well as the Vice President of the Long Island Film/TV Foundation.

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DJ **Vic Latino's** White House nightclub in Hampton Bays, formerly known as CPI, has received a sleek makeover this past winter. Everything is painted bright white with sky blue lighting. They have a great line up this season with some of the industry's top A-List performers and DJs.

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The Irvington Institute for Immunological Research hosted its 25th annual Through The Kitchen Dinner at the Four Seasons

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South O' the Highway (and the North too)

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Restaurant on April 29th. NBC anchor **Perri Peltz** and her husband, Vice President of Goldman Sachs International **Eric Ruttenberg**, hosted the evening alongside **Liz** and **Jeff Peek**. Guests included **Mayor Michael Bloomberg, Diana Taylor, Police Commissioner Ray Kelly** and his wife, **Veronica**, Chancellor of the NYC Department of Education, **Joel Klein** and **Nicole Seligman**. For the fifth year, **DeJuan Stroud** worked his magic creating themed tables for each of the Departments of New York City.

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Ann Barish, Sharon Handler and **Ambassador John Loeb, Jr., Denise Wohl, Barbara Bancroft, Dana Buchman, Charlotte Moss, Fernanda Niven,** and **Hilary Ross** were out en force at the Fountain House's fourth annual luncheon to honor **Mike Wallace** at the Pierre Hotel on Monday. Fountain House provides housing, employment, wellness and educational services to people with major mental illness and helps some 1,300 people each year.

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Lauren and **Jim Watkins, Laura** and **Harry Slatkin, Billy** and **Ophelia Rudin,** and **Pat** and **Jimmy Cayne** hosted the New York Center for Autism's A Day to Believe: Autism Awareness Day at Shea honoring the New York Mets on Sunday, April 22. Mets fans **Bill O' Reilly, Joan Jett** and Amagansett resident **Matthew Broderick** also came to lend their support.

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On Sunday, two Springs School student athletes enrolled in **Mrs. Conlon's** Life Skills class and two students enrolled in **Mrs. Lamonda's** Primary Self Contained class will compete in the Special Olympic Games at William Floyd High School. Students will compete in the 50-meter dash, the 100-meter dash, a softball distance toss and a Frisbee distance throw.

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The Youth Services Division and the Family Resource Center of the Town of East Hampton's Department of Human Services is looking for after-school mentors. Participants will be trained by the Mentoring Partnership of Long Island and receive support from the social work staff of the East Hampton Department of Human Services. For more information or to volunteer, call 329-7375 or 324-4947.

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Dr. Gerald Curatola, who has a dental practice in East Hampton, has been honored with a membership to the Sir Harold Acton Society, established by NYU in 1995, which commemorates extraordinary men whose legacies are shining examples of visionary leadership and worldwide impact.

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The Sheltered Islander By Sally Flynn

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The Reel Signs of Spring

A lot of articles are being written right now about the signs of spring. They talk about prepping gardens, cleaning out closets, dieting for summer swimsuit season. I'm sure these are all signs of spring elsewhere, but not here on the Island.

Only recently have I begun to see and hear the real signs of spring:

1. Men cleaning and conditioning boat trailers in their driveways.

"Mary, you know, I think this trailer could hold a bigger boat."

"We need a new roof, Roger."

"With a bigger cabin, we could sail to Newport."

"And Billy needs braces."

"They have a new Super Mall Outlet center now, Mary."

"I'll get a new pot for the leak. And why should we straighten teeth in a mouth that sasses us all the time anyway?"

"Now, you're talkin!"

2. Boat cushions being hosed and cleaned by women in the front yard.

"Well you better clean the seats, George. I'm not putting clean cushions on dirty seats!"

3. Shed doors opened, lawn mowers to one side, pool supplies coming out.

"Are these chemicals still good from last year? I'd hate to use them and then have them

turn your mother's hair green again."

4. Clam rakes leaning against the sides of the house.

"Why can't you clam today?"

"The water's still 40 degrees, Sally. I'll freeze my gonads off!"

"Oh c'mon, toughen up, will ya?"

5. Fights can be heard as you drive by:

"I don't care if she's your sister. If she brings that moron husband on my boat again, they're both going over the side! I tell him to put the beer over the side to keep it cool and he just drops a whole six-pack over! The net bag was by his feet, Judy! If he couldn't figure out to put the beer in the bag and loop the rope over the cleat before throwing it over, he's a moron! I am declaring my boat to be a moron-free zone this year!"

6. Risks are being taken.

"Bob? Are you sure you shot that big doe last season? If I plant new hydrangea, I don't want to see her coming through and eating the buds! If I see that doe, Bob, I'm coming after YOU!"

"Honey, trust me, I got her. We've still got half of her in the freezer."

"Well, I hope for your sake she's still dead."

7. Trucks are being summerized.

"Wouldn't you rather put on a real replacement tailgate, Joe? We can afford it. You don't have to make one out of plywood."

"I know, but then I can't spray paint, "Yes, I have a @$#%ing permit" on the back."

8. The single most ubiquitous summer necessity, the cooler, is being bought with remarkable consumer savvy.

"Okay Gene, pay attention. Now this cooler has one side for hot and one side for cold. But this one has a beer launcher on the top. This one has a bait keeper. They all come with the optional bungee ankle leash."

"What's that?"

"If you and the cooler go overboard together for any reason, the cooler, which floats, is attached to you, like a surfboard, so you don't lose the beer and sandwiches."

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Napeague				4:35	—	—	6:35	7:35	—	—	9:35	—	11:35	12:35	1:35	—	—	3:50	—	4:50	5:35	6:35	7:50	—	9:35
Amagansett				4:50	5:50	6:20	6:50	7:50	8:50	9:35	9:50	10:50	11:50	12:50	1:50	1:55	2:35	4:05	4:35	5:05	5:50	6:50	8:05	9:05	9:50
East Hampton				5:00	6:00	6:30	7:00	8:00	9:00	9:45	10:00	11:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	2:05	2:45	4:15	4:45	5:15	6:00	7:00	8:15	9:15	10:00
Wainscott				5:05	6:05	—	7:05	8:05	9:05	—	10:05	11:05	12:05	1:05	2:05	—	2:50	4:25	—	5:20	6:05	7:05	8:20	—	10:05
Sag Harbor				—	—	—	—	8:00	—	—	10:00	—	—	1:00	—	—	3:00	4:30	5:00	—	6:05	—	8:15	—	10:00
Bridgehampton				5:10	6:10	6:45	7:15	8:15	9:15	10:00	10:15	11:15	12:15	1:15	2:15	2:20	3:00	4:35	—	5:30	6:15	7:15	8:30	9:30	10:15
Water Mill				5:15	6:15	6:50	7:20	8:20	9:20	10:05	10:20	11:20	12:20	1:20	2:20	2:30	3:10	4:45	5:10	5:35	6:20	7:20	8:35	9:35	10:20
Southampton	4:00	4:45	5:15	5:20•	6:25	7:00	7:30	8:30	9:30	10:15	10:30	11:30	12:30	1:30	2:30	2:45	3:30	5:00	5:30	5:45	6:30	7:30	8:45	9:45	10:30
Manorville	4:20	5:10	—	5:45•	6:50	7:25	7:55	8:55	—	—	10:55	—	12:55	1:55	2:55	—	3:55	5:25	—	—	6:55	7:55	9:10	—	10:55
ARRIVE Airport Connection	5:35	6:35	6:45	7:15	8:35	9:00	9:35	10:20	11:20	12:05	12:20	1:20	2:20	3:20	4:20	4:35	5:20	6:50	7:20	7:35	8:20	9:20	10:35	11:35	12:20
Manhattan	5:45	6:45	7:00	7:25	8:45	9:10	9:45	10:30	11:30	12:15	12:30	1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30	4:45	5:30	7:00	7:30	7:45	8:30	9:30	10:45	11:45	12:30

To The Hamptons MONTAUK LINE

READ DOWN / AM LIGHT / PM BOLD	Sat Only June Only	Fri & Sat May thru Fri, Sat & Mon June	Sat Only June Only	7 Days	Sat Only	Mon thru Sat	Mon thru Sat	7 Days	7 Days	Sun, Mon & Fri May thru Sun thru Fri June	7 Days	‡ 7 Days	‡ 7 Days	Sun thru Thurs	B Fri Only	8 Fri & Sat	• 7 Days	Sun thru Fri	■ 7 Days	8 Fri Only	Fri Only May thru Thur & Fri June	7 Days	Mon thru Sat	Sun Only	7 Days
DEPARTING Manhattan / 86th St.	6:30	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:30	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:30	3:30	4:30	5:00	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	9:00	9:30	11:00
Manhattan / 69th St.	6:35	7:35	8:05	8:35	9:05	9:35	10:05	10:35	11:35	12:35	1:05	1:35	2:35	3:35	4:35	5:05	5:05	5:35	6:05	6:35	7:05	7:35	8:05	9:05	9:35	11:05
Manhattan / 59th St.	6:40	7:40	8:10	8:40	9:10	9:40	10:10	10:40	11:40	12:40	1:10	1:40	2:40	3:40	4:40	5:10	5:10	5:40	6:10	6:40	7:10	7:40	8:10	9:10	9:40	11:10
Manhattan / 40th St.	7:00	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	12:00	1:00	1:30	2:00	3:00	4:00	5:00	5:30	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:30	10:00	11:30
Airport Connection	7:20	8:20	8:50	9:20	9:50	10:20	10:50	11:20	12:20	1:20	1:50	2:25	3:25	4:25	5:25	—	5:55	6:25	6:55	7:25	7:55	8:20	8:50	9:50	10:20	11:50
ARRIVE Manorville	8:25	9:30	—	10:30	—	11:30	—	—	1:30	2:30	—	3:30	4:50‡	5:50‡	6:35	—	7:05	7:35	8:05	8:35	—	9:35	10:00	11:00	11:30	1:00
Southampton	9:00	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	2:00	3:00	3:30	4:00	5:20‡	6:20‡	7:00	—	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:30	12:00	1:30
Water Mill	9:05	10:05	10:35	11:05	11:35	12:05	12:35	1:05	2:05	3:05	3:35	4:05	5:25‡	6:25‡	7:05	—	7:35	8:05	8:35	9:05	9:35	10:05	10:35	11:35	12:05	1:35
Bridgehampton	9:15	10:15	10:45	11:15	11:45	12:15	12:45	1:15	2:15	3:15	3:45	4:15	5:35‡	6:35‡	7:15	—	7:45	8:15	8:45	9:15	—	—	10:45	11:45	12:15	1:45
Sag Harbor	—	—	—	11:20	—	—	—	—	2:20	—	—	4:20	—	6:40‡	—	—	7:50	—	—	9:20■	9:50	10:20	—	11:50	—	—
Wainscott	9:20	10:20	—	11:20	—	12:20	—	1:20	2:20	3:20	—	4:20	5:40‡	6:40‡	7:20	—	—	8:20	—	9:20	—	—	10:50	11:50	12:20	1:50
East Hampton	9:30	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:30	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:50‡	6:50‡	7:30	7:50	—	8:30	9:00	9:30	—	10:30	11:00	12:00	12:30	2:00
Amagansett	9:40	10:40	11:10	11:40	12:10	12:40	1:10	1:40	2:40	3:40	4:10	4:40	6:00‡	7:00‡	7:40	8:00	—	8:40	9:10	9:40	—	10:40	11:10	12:10	12:40	2:10
Napeague	9:55	10:55	—	11:55	—	12:55	—	—	2:55	3:55	—	4:55	6:15‡	7:15‡	7:55	8:10	—	8:55♦	—	9:55	—	—	—	12:25	—	2:25
Montauk	10:00	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	—	—	3:00	4:00	—	5:00	6:20‡	7:20‡	8:00	8:20	—	9:00♦	—	10:00	—	—	—	12:30	—	2:30

To Manhattan WESTHAMPTON LINE

READ DOWN / AM LIGHT / PM BOLD	Mon thru Fri	7 Days	7 Days	7 Days	7 Days	Sun & Fri	7 Days	Sun Only	7 Days	W Sun Only	W Fri thru Mon
DEPARTING Hampton Bays	5:05	6:10	8:15	10:15	12:15	2:15	3:15	4:45	6:15	7:15	8:30
East Quogue	5:10	6:15	8:20	10:20	12:20	2:20	3:20	4:50	6:20	7:20	8:35
Quogue	5:20	6:25	8:30	10:30	12:30	2:30	3:30	5:00	6:30	7:30	8:45
Westhampton	5:30	6:35	8:40	10:40	12:40	2:40	3:40	5:10	6:40	7:40	8:55
JKU Airport Connection	7:15	8:35	10:20	12:20	2:20	4:20	5:20	6:50	8:20	9:20	10:35
Manhattan	7:25	8:45	10:30	12:30	2:30	4:30	5:30	7:00	8:30	9:30	10:45

To The Hamptons WESTHAMPTON LINE

READ DOWN / AM LIGHT / PM BOLD	Fri Sun	Mon Sat & Sat	thru 7 Days	7 Days	‡ 7 Days	7 Days	7 Days	Mon thru Sat	Sun Only
DEPARTING Manhattan / 86th St.	8:30	9:30	11:30	1:30	3:30	5:30	6:30	9:00	9:30
Manhattan / 69th St.	8:35	9:35	11:35	1:35	3:35	5:35	6:35	9:05	9:35
Manhattan / 59th St.	8:40	9:40	11:40	1:40	3:40	5:40	6:40	9:10	9:40
Manhattan / 40th St.	9:00	10:00	12:00	2:00	4:00	6:00	7:00	9:30	10:00
Airport Connection	9:20	10:20	12:20	2:25	4:25	6:25	7:25	9:50	10:20
ARRIVE Westhampton	10:50	11:50	1:50	3:50	6:10‡	7:50	8:50	11:15	11:45
Quogue	10:55	11:55	1:55	3:55	6:15‡	7:55	8:55	11:20	11:50
East Quogue	11:05	12:05	2:05	4:05	6:25‡	8:05	9:05	11:30	12:00
Hampton Bays	11:10	12:10	2:10	4:10	6:30‡	8:10	9:10	11:35	12:05

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Mr. Welte (continued from page 18)

contemplating the fact that it would be twelve more minutes before it would fire up again. Ten seconds passed.

"Would you like to see my little repair shop?" Morris asked.

"Sure," I said. I thought to say, "The Five Minute Tour," but I bit my lip.

"Follow me."

He led me through the kitchen to a flight of stairs that went down to his basement. There was a workbench there, right near the furnace. All the different tools were sitting on it, all oiled and lined up in a row. There was a grandfather clock against one wall. The place was very neat.

"That one is going through testing," he said. "I promised I'd get it fixed in a week. Here on the bench you can see where I have built this metal rack. I take all the parts out of a clock and attach them in appropriate relationships one to another on this rack and then I can walk around and work on them, front and back, unobstructed."

I was curious to know how he had come to repairing clocks. Had that been his career?

"Oh, no," he said. "I worked being a radio man aboard ships at sea, I grew up in upstate New York, where I learned Morse code in school. When I graduated, I worked for a private company that trained radio men and assigned them to ships.

"In the thirties, I traveled all over the world. Egypt. Japan. France. Athens. When you are a radio man like that, you can get assigned to a freighter or a government ship or a passenger liner. I was fortunate to always get passenger liners. I had a wonderful time."

I imagined him as the radio operator on the Titanic. But that would have been a generation earlier. And anyway, the radio guy on the Titanic didn't make it. Yet here was Morris Welte. So it wasn't him.

"During the Second World War," he said, "I became a radio operator aboard airplanes. I worked for Pan Am. They were making bombers during the war. And they'd fly them down to Miami, six at a time, brand new, and I'd be aboard one of these planes as we delivered it to England or the South Pacific or somewhere. We delivered B-25s and B-26s."

Welte's career took a strange turn after the war.

"I got a job offer from Mackie Radio on Long Island," he said. "They had a contract to monitor all the ships at sea from a tower they had built in the woods of Southampton. So I moved here."

Welte told me a fascinating story about how Mackie got started in the business.

"Around 1910, a German firm built a Radio tower and office in Sayville, Long Island, to monitor all ships at sea. You didn't need a government licence in those days. You just built one and the government would, if they needed you on the grid, hire you to keep track of everything. So the Germans ran it and linked it to Berlin without telling anybody. By 1914, when Germany attacked France to start World War I, they could tell immediately where all the American ships were because of what they had built in Sayville. Finally, around 1918, just about when the war was winding down, the Americans realized this and shut it down. After the war, a man named Clarence Mackie bought it from the government, disassembled it, brought it out and reassembled it on a tall hill here in Southampton. He's who hired me."

Welte worked for Mackie for thirty years. He not only worked the Morse Code, but also learned how to fix the equipment when it was in disrepair. He retired from the firm in 1975 and, three years later, Mackie went out of business. Morse Code wasn't needed anymore.

"Today, it's a hill with lots of expensive mansions on it. Just north of County Road 39 off Major's Path. No trace of Mackie."

In his retirement, Welte learned clock repair at BOCES in Riverhead and, at the little house he and his wife bought, opened Tick Tock Clock Repair. He's been fixing clocks ever since.

"I think it's time to go upstairs and listen to eleven fifteen," he said.

And so we did.

Welte has completely fixed my clock. It plays its tune once on the quarter hour, twice on the half hour, three times on the three quarter hour and then four times at the top of the hour, followed by the exact number of bongs to correspond with the hour.

I said my good byes and Welte ushered me to the front door, carrying my baby.

"Be careful of the step," he said as he accompanied me out to my car.

It was nightfall now. Ten o'clock. And the clock has chimed once again on my mantlepiece. You know what? I kind of miss it being ten o'clock with the clock bonging whatever the hell time it wanted.

But then again, I don't miss that. It's nice that I didn't throw it out when it died, but had the chance, thanks to Morris, to have this beautiful thing brought back to the robust fullness of its life.

"It was the chime wheel that was gunked up," he had told me. "The rest was fine. It's just as it was, brand new. These are its original workings. The motor was fine. But I think I'd keep the little wooden door in the back just a little ajar all the time. It does generate some heat when it spins around. And it's always spinning around. Leaving the door open a little will allow the air to circulate through and help keep it healthy."

Thank you, Morris Welte.

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Beach (continued from page 30)

$2,500 for a party in the rain certainly might upset the guests. Can you ask for your money back on account of rain?

Now this is a realistic one. What happens when you plan on throwing a party with less then fifty people and only ten people show up to the party because there was some other event that was planned on the same day that simply could not be missed. Do you still have to pay then? Well the answer is that you do. Alternatively however, if you throw a party expecting less then 50 and more then 50 show up, well you just better pray that a police officer doesn't start counting heads.

The reason for all of these permits is to raise revenue for the town of Southampton. So it makes you wonder what they will come up with next in order to raise revenues. Maybe a fee will get passed for non-catered parties. This would make everybody that wants to go to the beach and have a bar-b-que a party planner. Or maybe if you want to walk around town with a group of five people or more, you'll have to pay a permit. Want to go surfing? Well, you're going to have to stop by the village and fill out an application. Want to drive in the village of Southampton? Well you better get down to the village in order to get your Village of Southampton roads sticker.

Of course I'm just joking, but how far away are we from things like this? $2,500 for a beach party with less then 50 people seems like an awful lot if you ask me.

We all want to go to the beach and enjoy everything about it, we just don't want everybody else to go there and screw it up for us.

TwentysomeThing... By David Lion Rattiner

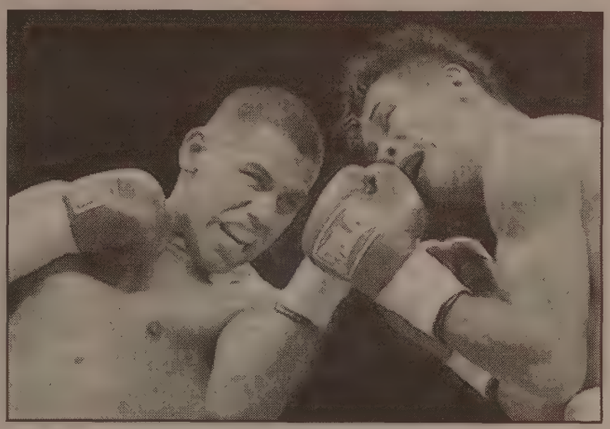
Boxing Match

Last Saturday, I headed out to Foxwoods Casino (via the Cross Sound Ferry on the North Fork) to check out a boxing match between a 23-year-old Mexican-American from Houston, Juan Diaz, and the 31-year-old Brazilian champion, Popo Freitas. Both fighters were defending their lightweight titles — the winner of the match would walk away with two of them. If you caught the fight recently on HBO, you may have seen me in the background.

One of my major goals for this evening was to get on HBO, so I positioned myself as best I could behind the cameras and randomly tried standing up and sitting down so that I could get in a shot.

Now, being a huge fan of watching boxing on television, I was surprised to see how simple a boxing match really is. All you need is three things — a big room, a boxing ring and some fighters. It is a very raw sport. There are no bells and whistles to it, you either can fight or you can't — and the only person that can be blamed for losing the fight is the fighter.

I got really good seats to the fight and was probably about twenty feet from these guys slugging it out inside this great big casino. It's amazing to watch boxing in person because of the sounds that you hear. Each punch and grunt sounds much clearer than it would on television. You also can get a much better feel for the fighters live, which makes it easier to tell who is winning.



We were sitting right behind all of the press that was there. A group of mostly guys were sitting there with laptop computers, typing away as the fight went on. And then, suddenly, after a brutal eight rounds, Juan Diaz imposed his will onto Freitas and forced him to quit while sitting down on his stool. The crowd went nuts.

After leaving, I figured I'd give poker a try. How hard could it be?

I walked over into the poker room at Foxwoods and was amazed at the kind of money that was on some of the high roller's tables. There were some people that had over $100,000 in chips, just right out there on the table, making bets. One day, I'll have that kind of money, I thought. But today, I'll drop a cool $40 on this game.

I traveled all the way to the back of the poker room and found myself a table that I thought was good for me. It was $2 a hand, the cheapest poker table there. Right up my alley.

After sitting in the Foxwoods poker room for about twenty minutes, I lost $40 playing $2 poker. It was so embarrassing, you wouldn't believe it. I really had very little idea what I was doing and left the poker room with my tail between my legs. Perhaps I would give the slots or roulette a try.

As I walked to the roulette table, I made one bet and lost $20. Luck was just not on my side, so I headed over to Ben and Jerry's and got a large Cherry Garcia ice-cream and called it a night.

I later learned from a fellow *Dan's Papers* employee, Lisa DeLisi, who sells advertising, that there was a lot more to the game of poker then meets the eye and like a professional, she began telling me just about everything she knows about the game. My jaw nearly hit the floor when I heard how much skill was involved with this game.

When I got home, I watched the boxing match on Tivo again to see if I could see myself on television. I didn't see me, but at the end of the fight, Diaz was being interviewed with Don King in the background of the shot and this guy on a cell phone peeks his head in for just a second and then laughs and peeks away.

If only I could have been that guy.

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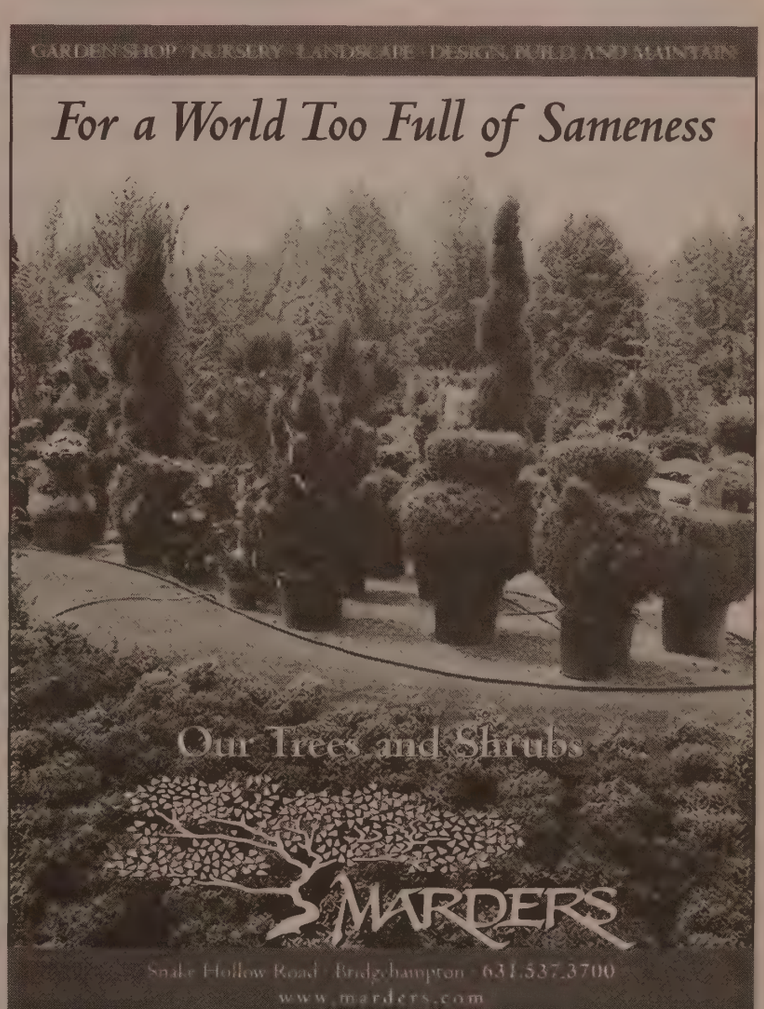
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Ralphampton (continued from page 25)

William Merritt Chase painting. The famous Polo rugged jean and khaki trousers are available in children sizes.

The new shop is part of an expansion of Mr. Lauren's interest in East Hampton. Already, he has obtained the lease of the building that housed the famous Blue Parrot, behind his original shop. He has chosen to knock down the building and start constructing a new eatery (more up to Ralph Lauren standards than the Blue Parrot), perhaps in the style of the restaurant connected to his store in Chicago. However, no work seems to be imminent and details of the future project are protected corporate secrets at the moment. Many are hoping that the walkway to the new restaurant will impart the little brick alley with some Ralph Lauren charm. Who knows in time it may be named Polo Lane, or maybe Ralph Lauren Place.

They say that things come in threes, so with only two shops in East Hampton now opened and operating, the talk turns to shop number three, the future home of Ralph Lauren's Rugby line. Speculation has it that the store might occupy the open space where Long Island Sound was once situated, on Main Street, almost directly across from the two existing Polo shops. Once again, details are not being given out just yet, for business reasons. The new Rugby line is a favorite of my college-aged daughters, Schuyler and Blair.

It may not be known by the general public that Polo changes its store window displays monthly. Ralph Lauren's window displays have, in fact, become an artform. By using antique polo artifacts, it has been a successful branding exercise for Polo. Almost everyone in the Hamptons owns at least one piece of clothing with the Polo emblem on it. It is an empire, and yet, on late Saturday nights in the summer, Ralph Lauren himself can be seen in East Hampton, inspecting the windows and buildings. Sometimes there is even an assistant taking notes.

Only time will tell how successful the new shops will be. However, the new children's store is a must-see for visitors to East Hampton as well as those who live in town. The packaging of Polo items has always been top-shelf. Sabrina Mashburn, a talented equestrian jumper and Features Editor at *Dan's Papers*, many months ago coined the term 'Ralphampton.' With these new moves by Mr. Lauren's organization, she must have had great insight, because in the not too distant future, there will be four Ralph Lauren endeavors very close together on and off Main Street in East Hampton, and the very beautiful Main Street in East Hampton will then be well taken care of indeed.

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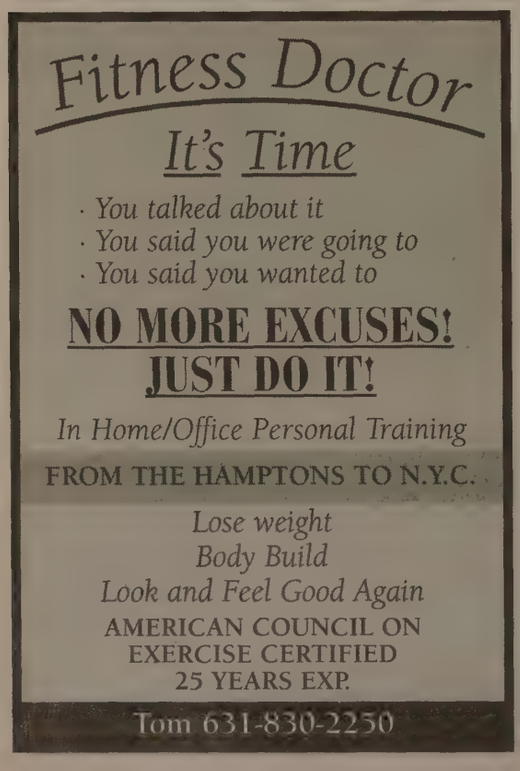

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On Tuesday, May 8, United Cerebral Palsy of New York City (UCP/NYC) will hold their 6th annual Women Who Care Luncheon at Cipriani on 42nd Street in New York City. **Joan Jedell,** Publisher and Editor-in-Chief of The Hampton Sheet Magazine, will be honored for encouraging more effective giving to help charitable organizations around the world. **Ivana Trump** will be introducing Joan at the event. **Gayle King** and **Maureen Lippe** will also be honored. Honorary chair **Cathleen Black** and co-chairs **Patricia Ganzi** and **Loreen Arbus** will host the event. **Donna Hanover** will serve as Master of Ceremonies, with special presentations by **Tom Arnold, Geri Jewell, Ellen Levine, Lili Taylor, Twyla Tharp** and **Suzanne Wright.**

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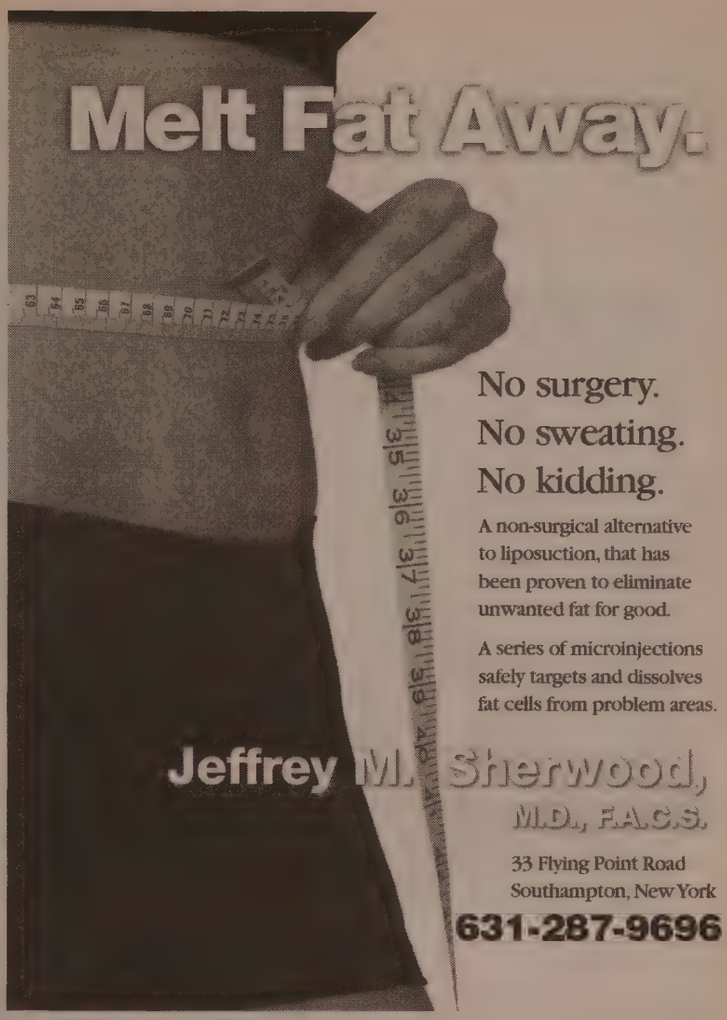
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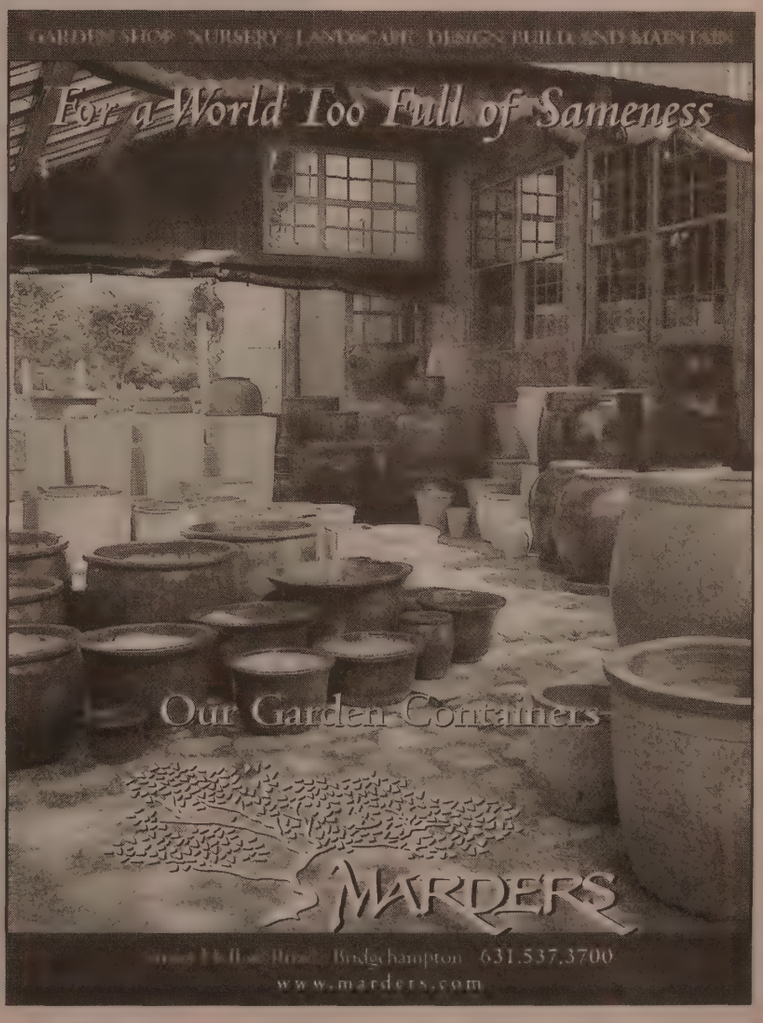

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demolishing the two small houses on the surrounding lots to make room for the parking lot and expanding the Rose House Barn to accommodate the spa and wellness center. Residents of Bridgehampton expressed concern about this plan, remarking that it would alter the footprint and façade of the buildings unnecessarily. There are also concerns as to how much Mr. Campbell will be able to fit on the three-acre lot and whether his inn will increase traffic in the area, as the Bridgehampton Commons have. Mr. Campbell believes these concerns are unfounded, as he doesn't envision the inn being large enough to attract the great numbers of guests the community believes will eventually be using the space. Another concern is that, if the plan is approved, it will open up the Bridgehampton/Sag Harbor Turnpike area to more commercial developments.

Since the original plan was presented, the project's architect, David Beem of Roger Ferris & Partners LLC, has come up with a plan to use an "architectural hyphen" to join the original building with the new addition, in order to make room for the new kitchens and elevators while still preserving the appearance of the old building. This plan has received mixed reviews, as some residents feel that it will not be a historically accurate restoration of the building. These neighbors would rather see a more modern-looking addition visually, if not entirely, separated from the original structure. The size of the parking lot is also a concern, as

The Bulls Head Inn, 1907

many members of the community cannot fathom how a 69-space lot will be able to accommodate both staff and guests, resulting in parking spilling over onto the street.

This plan is a revised version of the architect's original vision, which he modified after hearing suggestions from the Southampton Town Planning Board and the Suffolk County Department of Public Works in February. The original plan had two driveways and exposed the newer structures. By rotating the newer structures and planting an orchard and privet hedges between them and the line of sight from the road, the new plan will make the historic structures the centerpiece of the complex and obstruct the newer buildings from view.

Although most citizens agree that this project is much more desirable in that location than the gas station proposed for the lot before Mr. Campbell purchased it, it seems that the developer and his neighbors cannot reach a happy medium between their visions of the property. Mr. Campbell's campus of cottages, a spa and wellness center, an inn and a conference room does indeed seem more suited to the "new" version of Bridgehampton than to the era of the original Bulls Head Inn. However, is this spa and wellness center any more offensive than the Target store that filled the historic building only two summers before? Bridgehampton is one of the very few places left on the East End that still retains that country Main Street feeling, even as her neighbors welcome Cartier, Gucci and Polo stores to their shingled shops. However, in order to retain the visual character of the Bulls Head Inn, it is essential that Mr. Campbell benefit from the restoration by having a successful inn once construction is completed. The citizens' advisory committee has pledged that this project will be one of their main focuses during the coming months, making a decision on the final plan imminent. Whatever the final outcome, the plan is sure to be a compromise on both sides, one that may not please anyone fully, but will ensure that both the developer and the hamlet benefit equally from the project.

From what we've seen and heard so far, however, we think this new project would be a wonderful addition to the community and hope in the end, it gets approved.

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out there, and I too would be in black tie and tails and might not be dancing with Ginger Rogers on the deck of a ship, but when I was young, I had the illusion that anything was possible. All you had to do was work for it and be lucky."

Feiffer has written about many topics — everyday life, politics, and social issues — and is a strong advocate of civil rights. He also became popular for his controversial film, *Carnal Knowledge* (1971), starring Jack Nicholson, Art Garfunkel, Candice Bergen and Ann-Margret on the cusp of the sexual revolution.

His black comedy, called *Little Murders*, deals with urban violence and was also adapted to film in 1971, starring Elliott Gould and Marcia Rodd. Other plays include the OBIE-winning *White House Murder Case* (1970) and *Knock Knock* (1976), among numerous other plays and novels.

And then, in 2000, his other side playfully emerged, as he began writing and illustrating children's books. His books delighted his twelve-year-old daughter, who gave him the idea for one of his books, *A Room With A Zoo*.

She's an animal lover, a little heroine herself, who came to the rescue of "Lily," a one-eyed Chihuahua-mix, a few years ago. The Feiffers adopted the dog, that reflects humor and truth, like her dad's cartoons.

"My oldest daughter, Kate, age 42, is also a children's author, and Halley, the middle child, age 22, is a student at Wesleyan and an actor, most notable for the movie *The Squid and the Whale* and also a film at Sundance last year, called *Stephanie Daley*. My wife is Jenny Allen, a journalist, who has been doing standup comedy, monthly. Jenny is beautiful — she captivates the audience with bits of our lives, including talking about her cancer, with great style and wit." Feiffer beamed when he spoke of his family while eating a sandwich in his college office.

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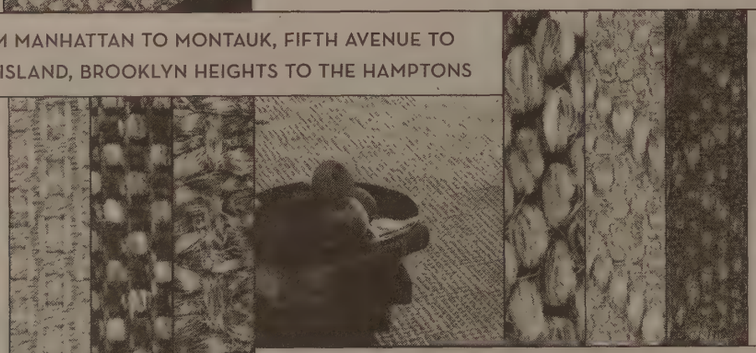

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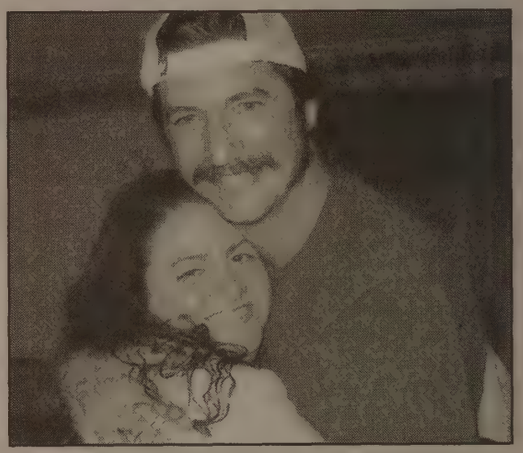

Melissa Gaeta and Ken Marino during the filming of Diggers

Just like any hospitable family, the Gaetas' welcomed and invited the entire cast into their home, offering them food, drinks and access to their bathroom. And, just like any typical production or time-sensitive project in the game of life, an obstacle appeared. The air conditioning in all of the trailers, including the hair, make-up, and changing rooms gave out under the searing August sun. As a result, the Gaetas' four-season, outdoor porch transformed into the hair and make-up room and their downstairs apartment, where their son lives, became the changing room. Soon, their house was freckled with power strips, cords and chargers for headsets and other electrical equipment. Mastic soon became the village that never sleeps, looking more like Times Square in the middle of the night, as the crew set up beaming lights to put the finishing details on a few scenes.

It's not very often that producers and cameramen send out a flyer or, better yet, come knocking at your door because they like what they see. Moreover, a group of clam diggers in the 1970s is not exactly the most favorable, high-end Hollywood pitch, yet with a $1.5 million budget, this independent film is finally ready to be seen by the masses. It is a tribute to the unique way of life that once dominated the landscape of the East End, which becomes evident from the very first line in the movie — "Hello, Montauk!" — spoken by a radio DJ. If you are still unsure of how to act when Hollywood comes a-knockin', just ask John and Maryann Gaeta. I am sure they would be happy to tell you.

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The Humane Society held their second annual auction to raise money for man's best friend at Baryshnikov Arts Center in NYC. The event featured 2 autographed portaits of Madonna. Others who donated art to help raise funds included Herb Ritts, Bruce Springsteen, Annie Leibovitz, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Mary Ellen Mark, William Wegman, Tulla Booth, David LaChapelle, and Terry deRoy Gruber.

1. Miikhail Baryshnikov 2. Cornelia Guest, Sandra Defeo 3. Bill Berloni & Chico 4. Donald McPherson, Esther DeJong, Erin Fay McPherson 5. Bridgette Flaherty, Ken Montz

THE GLASSBLOWERS BALL

Urban Glass celebrated their 30th anniversary at their annual Glassblowers Ballat Pier 60, Chelsea Piers in New York. An amazing array of dazzling works of art by glass artists such as Carol Yorke, Paul Stankard, Jay Macdonell, Tiffany & Co, Lina Tagliapietra, and a list to too long to include everyone were offered to the highest bider. Dale Chihuly who is on permanent display at LongHouse in East Hampton donated a Raw Sienna Macchia with Lemon Yellow Lip Wrap for the super raffle which was a part of a recent installation at the NY Botanical Garden.

1. Carol Yorke 2. Carl H. Pforzheimer III, Leigh Merinoff 3. Tery Fugate-Wilcox, Valerie Monroe Shakespeare 4. David McFadden, Celia Ipiotis, Gerry Conn 5. Hank Murta Adams, Cynthia Manocherian, James Carpenter 6. Katya Heller, Douglas Heller 7. Auctioneer Dan Klein 8.Jeffery G. Beers 9. Dawn Bennett 10. Dena & Ralph Lowenbach 11. Harold Woolley, Susan Abanor, Alexis Rubin, Evan Woolley

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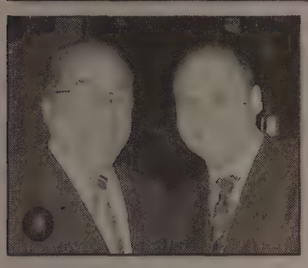
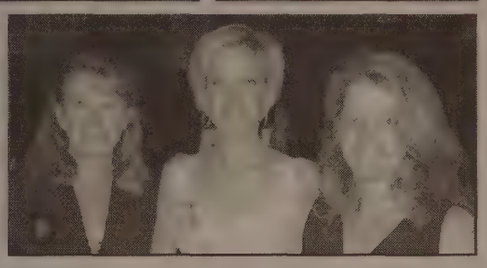
WALLETS SPRING AT CMEE BENEFIT

The Children's Museum Of The East End benefit was held at Cipriani in NYC. Guests enjoyed cocktails, photo opps then dinner and a lively live auction led by CNBC's Dylan Ratigan. The host of the evening was NBC's Brian Williams. Among the items getting the hardiest biddings were prime seats for the NY Giants, the Jimmy Buffet concert with VIP access and spending time with Jimmy.





1. Amanda Elederman, Donny Deutsch, Tammy Madger 2. Brian Williams 3. Dardena Henci 4. Shari & Ed Adler 5. Donna Fraces, Leslie Maheras 6. Lucy Muhlfeld 7. Hollis Forbes, Adeline Newbert 8. Stan Sopkorn, Jonathan Wald 9. Vicki Graham, Heidi Wald, Pam Henes

Dan's Papers Goes To... DRAMA DESK NOMINATIONS

Photos: Ginger Propper Text: Maria Tennariello

Beth Leavel and James Naughton announced the Drama Desk nominations at The Friars Club in NYC. In addition, there were remarks by William Wolf, Robert R. Blume, and Randie Levine-Miller, Drama Desk Director of Special Events. For a complete list of this years Drama Desk nominations, log onto theaterlife.com

1. Lillian Wolf, Richie Ridge 2. Andrea Reese, David Gibbs 3. Beth Leavel, James Naughton 4. Sam Norkin 5. Lauren Schneider, Peter Filicia 6. Robert Blume, Roy Somlyo 7. Dr. Nanette Shaw, Isa Goldberg 8. David Seward, William Wolf

North Fork Events

FRIDAY, MAY 4

ART EXHIBITION- Fridays-Sundays, May 4-20, 2-5 p.m.: Exhibition of works in fabric by Sylvia Newman on view at Janet T. Swanson Gallery in Old Point School House, Orient. Hosted by Oysterponds Historical Society. Ms. Newman created her first quilt in 2004, following an exhibition of antique quilts by OHS. Show features large wall hangings and smaller pieces, some using found objects. Free. 631-323-2480.

SATURDAY, MAY 5

VAIL-LEAVITT- 8 p.m: Jamie Lee Band performs music of Eric Clapton at Vail-Leavitt Music Hall in Riverhead. Tickets: $16 advance, $20 door. 631-727-5782.

LET THE GOOD LIFE ROLL- 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m.: 'Let the Good Life Roll,' second annual celebration of Older Americans Month, at Peconic Landing, Greenport. Activities include "May Mile" fitness walk, barbecue lunch, live Caribbean music, fire-safety presentations and more. Proceeds benefit Greenport Fire Department. Rain date: Saturday, May 12. Adults, $10; ages 12 and under, $5. Registration: Debbie O'Kane, 631-477-3800, ext. 354, www.peconiclanding.com.

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EXPLORATION HIKE- Sarnoff Exploration. 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Meet at the Sarnoff Reserve's D.E.C. parking lot on the west side of County Road 104, 2.5 miles south of the Riverhead traffic circle. 8 miles, rain cancels. bring snacks and liquid. John Virgilio, 631-574-8844 or Virg4@optonline.net.

ART EXHIBITION- The East End Arts Council and the Town of Riverhead announce a new exhibit featuring artist MaryJane Wojciechowski at the Riverhead Town Hall exhibition space, 200 Howell Avenue, Riverhead through June 9. Ms. Wojciechowski says the works on display were created with a variety of mediums and encompass a 15 year period of growth as an artist. 631-727-0900.

SUNDAY, MAY 6

LIVE MUSIC- 2 p.m. check out Monday Night Band plays Shostakovich, Vivaldi, Mozart and more at Howard Hovey Auditorium, Pulaski Street School, Riverhead. Program includes Monday Night Stompers and presentation of annual Monday Night Band scholarship. Free; donations welcome. 631-369-6794.

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COMING UP

STREET PAINTING FESTIVAL, MAY 27- 11th Annual Community Mosaic Street Painting Festival, presented by the East End Arts Council, will be held on Sunday, May 27th from 12-5, (rain date May 31). The Community Mosaic is a FREE, day-long celebration of the arts, held on the grounds of the Arts Council, on Main Street, and along the Peconic Riverfront. Proceeds from the Community Mosaic support the EEAC Community School of the Arts. For more information, call the School 631-369-2171 or the East End Arts Council at 631-727-0900.

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REIKI- Monday Nights Time: 7 p.m. -9 p.m. Location: Grace Episcopal Church 753 Roanoke Ave, Riverhead. Will be held here every Monday Peconic Bay Medical Center Roanoke Ave, Riverhead 2nd Floor, Conference Rooms B & C. Will be held here the last Monday of each month. For details please call Ellen Jean McCabe, Ceritified Reiki Master Teacher 631-727-2072.

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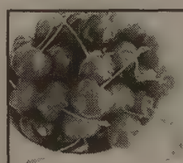

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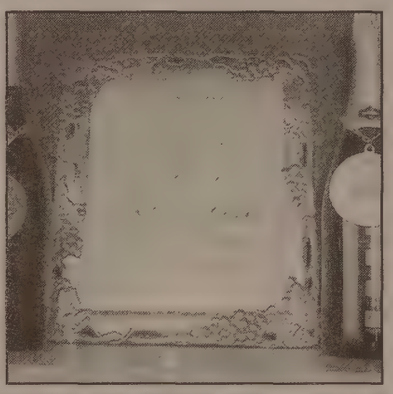
Lieb Cellars Oysterfest

Lieb Cellars Oysterfest Last Sunday Was Scrumptious

It's all about wine and food on the North Fork and Lieb Cellars knows that it is really important to combine both with good friends and family. That's why all month they have been having the Oysterfest event series which has drawn fine restaurants to Lieb so they can share their love of oysters and Lieb's passion for wine. Needless to say, the awards showcased in these photos speak for themselves. From the bottom, theThe Laplaca's & The Pastel's enjoy a day at Lieb. To the left Sous Chef Jose Flores & Director of Marketing for Lieb Cellars Melissa Schwartz show off their wine and oysters. And of course, there are the award winning wines.



A North Fork Working Vacation

Come To The North Fork And Tour A Vineyard, Then Wash Some Dishes

By Phyllis Lombardi

Let me tell you this. I've absolutely no trouble hiring help. For a fresh-baked corn bread, my husband will do almost anything I ask of him.

Not everyone is so fortunate. The East End is in real trouble – I've been reading that business owners are "frantically" seeking replacements for Irish, Jamaican and Dominican workers who will not be able to get summer work permits this year. Something to do with a permit called H-2B. When things get high-tech like that, H-2B, I tend to stop reading and just look for a solution. I think I have one.

I really hope it works. Not just for my North Fork but for the South Fork too. Listen to this. Montauk Chamber of Commerce spokeswoman Keri Lambert said there are about 500 summer jobs that will not be filled in the Hamptons. That's a pretty snazzy area on the South Fork, I hear. Keri said, "A labor shortage of this magnitude will have a potentially disastrous impact on the East End's economy." Whenever someone uses a big word like magnitude, I get nervous. That's why I looked for a solution. I'm gonna call it the Vacation Corps.

Now everybody's heard of the Peace Corps. Maybe you even joined it. My cousin Diane did. She and her husband Bob spent years in Malawi back in the 60s. And while it was no vacation, for they worked hard there, it was a change of pace, an adventure. Isn't that what a vacation is?

More recently, there's that Habitat for Humanity. Not a vacation either. You go and you build homes for people who need 'em. But I bet you drink lemonade and laugh as you hammer and saw. Lemonade and laughter sound like vacation to me.

So here's what we'll do. We'll work up a Vacation

Corps. For North Fork residents who want a vacation but after three or four days of vacating they get restless. They want to do something real. After all, how much "afternoon tea on a veranda overlooking the bay" can you drink? Or how much trekking from gift shop to gift shop can you stand?

First, Vacation Corps directors will determine which businesses on the North Fork need seasonal workers. I think of restaurants, motels, stables, beaches and vineyards. I'm sure I don't have them all but it's a start.

Next comes the opportunity to volunteer for the Vacation Corps. Your two-week's room and board will be covered (that could be a year's salary for some of us on the North Fork) and all you have to do is work a four-hour day in your chosen business. The rest of the day you do what you'd normally do on vacation. This is really brilliant, I think. The labor problem is solved and vacationers aren't bored out of their skulls because they've got real work to do.

Some specific examples? Well, they're all on the North Fork but South Fork people are clever enough to follow our lead, I'm sure.

My first idea would be the Indian Island restaurant at the golf course in Riverhead. I believe people would love to work in its kitchen in exchange for room and board for two weeks. You could work, learn, and sample at the same time. They have stuff like croustade and coulis on their menu. Not just meat and potatoes! I can't give you the name of the restaurant at this point. Too early in Vacation Corps negotiations.

Then there's the Shady Lady on the way to Greenport. They need a few housekeepers. Don't most of us pull up our blankets every day? And we do know how to clean our bathrooms. Although I confess I never fold the first sheet of toilet tissue into a perfect triangle. But I could learn. So we can do this job for four hours a day. A Vacation Corps experience seems more and more attractive.

Except, perhaps, for this next situation. There are quite a few stables on the North Fork and they all need mucking out. When you think about it, though, it's not so bad. If you changed your children's diapers for any number of years, two weeks in a stall doesn't seem so awful. Four hours a day will leave you with plenty of time to trot all over the place. Remember, no room, board, or riding fees.

Think the Vacation Corps will catch on? I hope so and I hope you'll join us on a North Fork vacation. If not, I'll send you a postcard. "Having a wonderful time. Wish you were here."

Dan's North Fork

OVER THE BARREL...
with Lenn Thompson

Ready for Rosée

Hopefully by now you know sugary California white zinfandel is the only game in town when it comes to rosée wines. Dry, fresh rose—like many recently released local ones—are like spring in a bottle. They are as pretty as the season's first flowers and as refreshing as moment the sun warms your body.

Rosée can also be a révelation with your lunch or on your dinner table because of its extreme versatility. It combines the complexity and structure of red wine with the refreshing, thirst quenching qualities of whites.

Did you just buy some fresh fish from our local waters? Rosée will complement it well. Serving smoky-sweet barbequed chicken and burgers? It works there too. You can even serve rosée with a steak. Seriously.

And, it is a terrific alternative to white wine for your friends who only drink red wines.

Christopher Tracy, a trained chef and the winemaker at Channing Daughters Winery loves how versatile and flexible rose is, saying "No other wine style, red or white, offers so many options at the table. The old adage is 'rosée pairs well with seafood to steak.' The thing is it's true. It's not only comfortable with a variety of foods, but dry rosée is happy on a checkered picnic table or a four star white table cloth. We love that rosée can be casual and serious at the same time. We drink everything with rosée, the foods just change with the seasons. Favorites include, the raw bar, spring vegetable frittatas, tomatoes and mozzarella, charcuterie, almost anything off the grill, cheese, stuffed squash blossoms and roasted turkey and chickens. We also love dry rosée because it is easy, delicious, beautiful to look at and just plain fun."

This time of year, many local producers are just starting to release new rose vintages. A handful already have, and if they are representative of what others will release soon, 2006 is a strong year for those who like to drink pink.

It's nearly impossible to discuss Long Island rose without mentioning Channing Daughters' "Tre Rosati" program, which includes three vineyard- and varietal-designated bottlings.

Channing Daughters Winery 2006 Rosato di Cabernet Franc — Croteau Vineyard ($17) is the lightest of the trio as well as the crispest. Fresh raspberry and strawberry flavors are accented by minerals and a faint minty, herb note. This is my preferred style of rose when I just want something fresh and clean as an aperitif, but it would also play well with local shellfish.

Their **2006 Rosati di Merlot — McCall Vineyard ($17)** is fuller bodied and bolder. Its flavors are fuller as well with red cherries, ripe strawberries and surprising spiciness. It is slightly plush in the mouth with an almost-creamy mid-palate that finishes juicy and fresh. This might be the most versatile of the lot—serve it with most anything from the grill, sea or garden.

Last in the trio is the **2006 Rosati di Cabernet Sauvignon — Mudd Vineyard ($17)** the biggest of the three—big to the point that one could almost mistake it for a light red wine. Full bodied and little jammy—strawberry and raspberry jams that is—this is a rose that I'd try with lamb or, yes, even steak. There is a subtle earthiness that is interesting as well.

Roman Roth, winemaker at Wolffer Estate, has recently released his **2006 Rose ($15).** I found the 2005 bottling a little too fruity and full for my personal tastes, but this 2006 returns to the super-crisp style of the 2003. Pale salmon-orange it offers peach, citrus, cherry and mineral flavors that make it perfect for shellfish and other fish.

Roth also makes a rose for **Roanoke Vineyards,** and the 2006 will be released in the next week or two. Tasted right after bottling, it was showing great peach and citrus character.

My favorite, so far, of the 2006 rose crop is brought to us by Corey Creek Vineyards. **The 2006 Domaine CC Rose ($14)** offers loads of cherry, peach and cherry blossom along with terrific, perfectly balanced acidity.

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Hey! Hey! Get Out Of My Garden!

Southold Town Supervisor Plans On Taking Action With The Deer Issue

By T.J. Clemente

Out on the North Fork of Long Island there is a deer problem that only seems to be getting worse. Each Spring more and more gardens are being destroyed by the deer who love to feast on the budding flowers, plants and vegetables. Southold Town Supervisor Scott Russell has received too many complaints over the years and has decided to try and do something. He is quoted as saying, "It's over the top, we've got to do something." In a phone interview on Monday he told me that first thing he is going to do is to have a meeting about the problem. Second he is going to seek as much advice as he can from various groups who have some sort of expertise. Then he is committed to take some sort of action this year. Supervisor Russell said that the planting this time of year is devastated by deer. He feels the pain of the farmers.

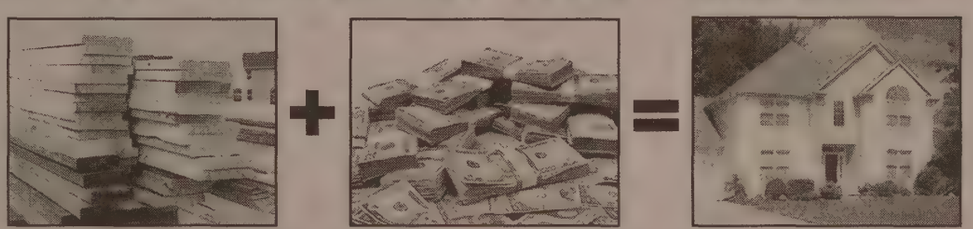
Acute deer hunting has been regulated for many years and now the areas where people live in homes with children makes acute hunting impossible. The animals, which long ago were hunted in an unrestricted way for their meat, were actually hard to

locate, and are now becoming increasingly plentiful. They are everywhere, or so it seems, to most residents out on the North Fork. With everyone unable to build fences around their gardens, the deer seem to feast anywhere they want and are becoming bolder and bolder. Mr. Russell pointed out that there is no natural predator for the deer and when hunter's hunt these days, they only go for trophy bucks that have an impressive rack of antlers. Mr. Russell is considering proposing extend hunting on town lands by special permit. Only qualified hunters will be permitted on the lands, but he admitted he needed to work out many details. He believes that the contraceptive avenue has not really been successful and is looking for a more immediate solution to the problem. He is ready to build 8-foot high fences wherever it is practical, but he is looking for a way to control the population long term. He and the town government are open to suggestions and concerns. He expressed to me his concern about firearms being fired in or near residential areas and will make sure that only the safest solutions concerning fire arms will be entertained.

Supervisor Russell left no doubt in my mind that this problem is going to be addressed with a new concern and that lip service will not be acceptable. "We are going to act." The problem at the moment is the action to be taken is still to be decided. The times for the public meetings will be announced and Supervisor Russell believes that what he is proposing is best for the farmers, best for the drivers and best for the general public. He reiterated the repeated statement that the deer problem by so many that it, "was never like this." Something is going to be done, action is going to be taken to limit and lower the deer population in the town of Southold. Other town officials are on record to take action also.

The deer population problem is growing all over Long Island and perhaps if Supervisor Russell researches the problem as thoroughly as he pledged over the phone, he may come up with an effective solution. Lives and money are in the balance of a productive program to curb the deer population and keep it in some sort of balance with the rest of nature.

IT SHOULD BE THIS SIMPLE.



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Mozart, Edison And Clapton

The Vail Leavitt Has And Always Will Be A Space For Joy And Music

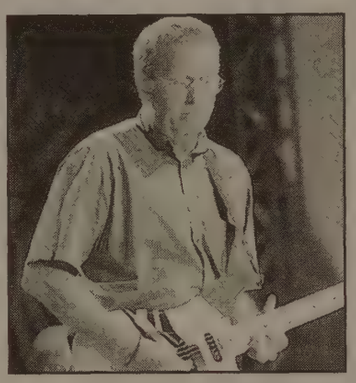
By Jessica Gould

The North Fork is so chock full of history. George Washington is known to have slept in a few local inns. Battles were fought in Fort Salonga and whalers launched their ships from the ports of Greenport.

Located in the heart of the town of Riverhead exists a theater that lives, breathes and knows Long Island history. To say that you were going to the theater was an event that featured your finest dress. Top hats and tails for men, long gowns for women. Sitting in the intimate Vail-Leavitt, you can't help but imagine the elegance of the theatergoers and the energized feeling of a night at a show. The Vail-Leavitt has existed for many generations and has quite a tale to tell.

The Vail-Leavitt Music Hall was created in the late 1800s, David F. Vail, a local lumber jack who, along with his son George M., decided to take on the task of creating a place for social gatherings and music. They were quite an ambitious duo and worked many back breaking hours planning and completing the task. When the doors finally opened, the music hall attracted attention and some fine entertainment.

The Mozart Orchestra, directed by Professor Arthur M. Tyte, was a consistent entertainer at Riverhead's Music Hall. Tyte's works, including many operas, are still around today. Harriet Beecher Stowe's famous play entitled "Uncle Tom's Cabin," was the Music Hall's first Broadway type play. The music hall played host to a fundraiser to benefit what is now known as the "Statue of Liberty" and was the sight of political conventions. The music hall changed names over time and was joined in ownership by the Leavitt family. The hall hosted meetings and Vaudeville and was one of the first to debut Edison's experiment of talking pictures.



The theater had a short tenure as a restaurant and a pool hall and an even briefer time as a betting hall. Fire and conflict closed the theater for a time. 2003 marked a turning point in the theater's history, as this historic complex once again became host to quality live theater. If its walls could talk, I'm sure that they'd have quite a bit to say.

Today the theater is host to many dynamic performers who make you glad you went to their show and leave you wanting more. To say that they performed at Vail-Leavitt is to truly say that they are part of history in the making. On May 5th, Vail-Leavitt will open its doors and feature the music of Eric Clapton performed by the Jamie Lee Band with special guest Celestial. Sit back and enjoy classics such as "Change the World" and "Wonderful Tonight".

May 12th will showcase Frankie Latorre and the Kingbeez so you can enjoy a performance by the "Harmonica Virtuoso" and the talented band. On Saturday May 19th, head down and purchase tickets for the Tommy Keys and Company concert, which will feature an evening of Americana Blues to benefit The Grace Peshkur Foundation. Grace is a 4-year-old girl who was diagnosed shortly after birth with a rare debilitating condition that requires constant care.

Through it all, Grace holds true to her name and exemplifies "grace." If you like the smooth cool tones of a jazz concert, then purchase tickets for the May 26th concert of Shenole Lattimer. Watch Shenole as he makes his Saxophone sing some sweet music. Get ready to laugh on June 2nd when the Long Island Comedy Fest brings some stand-up comedians and some great comedy to Vail-Leavitt. July 21st and 22nd will feature the Riverhead Blues Festival. If you have a reason to sing the blues, or just like hearing the blues come on down and enjoy some great entertainment.

After a night of fine theater, why not head out for some fine dining. Located in close proximity to the theater are Michael's on Board, Tweeds, Pardos, Diggers and East Enders to name a few. Stop in for dinner before the show and some coffee and drinks after. We are fortunate as North Forkers to still have classic theaters like the Vail-Leavitt in existence today; still offering us the opportunity for a relaxing night and professional performances.

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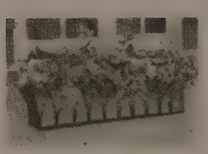

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KILLER BEE BOOSTER CLUB ART AUCTION – 5/5 – Fundraiser to benefit the Bridgehampton Killer Bee Booster Club. Preview of artwork, sports and music memorabilia begins at 6 p.m. Live auction begins at 7 p.m. Admission $20 per person, $30 per couple. Refreshments will be served. Call Carl Johnson at 631-682-5077.

FRIDAY, 4

FINEST IN WORLD CINEMA SERIES – 5/4 - 5/5 7:30 p.m. 5/6 1 and 4 p.m. The Westhampton Beach Performing Arts Center presents *Avenue Montaigne*. Tickets $10 for adults, $7 for students and seniors, $3 for WHBPAC Film Society members. Located at 76 Main St., Westhampton Beach. Call 631-288-1500 or visit www.WHBPAC.org.

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LI'L ABNER – 5/5 – 8 p.m. 5/6 – 2 p.m. Springs Community Theater Company presents Li'l Abner. Located at Pierson High School, 200 Jermain Avenue, Sag Harbor. Tickets are $12. Call 631-848-9143.

CLASSIC AMERICAN CAR SHOW – 5/5 – 12 p.m. "Artful Automobiles" a car show devoted to great American automobile design. Located at The Parrish Art Museum, 25 Job's Lane, Southampton. Call 631-283-2118 x22.

BALSAMIC VINEGAR TASTING – 5/5 – 2-4 p.m. A tasting of aged balsamic vinegars from Modena, Italy. Located at Beviamo, 2415 Main St., Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-9660.

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THE STEPHEN TALKHOUSE – 5/5 – Mambo Loco at 10 p.m. tickets $10. Located at 161 Main Street, Amagansett. Call 631-267-3117.

ORCHESTRA CONCERT – 5/5 – 7:30 p.m. Music from the 17th to 20th centuries. Located at the First Presbyterian Church, 120 Main Street, East Hampton. Call 631-324-9803.

KURT VONNEGUT READING – 5/5 – 2 p.m. Marathon reading of Vonnegut's American classic, *Slaughterhouse-Five*. Located at The Hampton Library, 2478 Main Street, Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-0015.

LIVE MUSIC – 5/5 – 7-10 p.m. Every Saturday, Jim Turner will play live music at the CoCo Lounge at The Maidstone Arms Inn. Located at 207 Main Street, East Hampton. Call 631-324-5008.

PIANO RECITAL – 5/5 – 7 p.m. Performance by Liliane Questel. Tickets $15, $10 seniors and children. Located at The Southampton Cultural Center's Levitas Center for the Arts, 25 Pond Lane, Southampton. Call 631-287-4377.

PICK OF THE WEEK

CLASSIC AMERICAN CAR SHOW – 5/5 – 12 p.m. "Artful Automobiles," car show. Located at the Parrish Art Museum, 25 Job's Lane, Southampton. Call 631-283-2118

MONDAY, 7

WEDDING GOWN EXHIBIT – 5/7 – "To Have and To Hold: Weddings 1893-2005," displaying twelve heritage wedding gowns and veils from Bridgehampton residents over the past 100 years, reflecting the changing styles. Will run through July. Located at the Corwith House, 2368 Montauk Highway, Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-1088.

TUESDAY, 8

GUILD HALL – 5/8 – 7:30 p.m. Presenting "The Naked Stage: Staged Reading on On The Verge or The Geography of Yearning by Eric Overmyer." Located at Guild Hall, 158 Main Street, East Hampton. Call 631-324-0806.

PIERRE'S RESTAURANT – 5/8 – 6:30-9:30 p.m. Jody Carlson and her band perform every Tuesday night at Pierre's Restaurant. Located at 2468 Main Street, Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-5110.

JEWELRY MAKING – 5/8 – 6:30-8:30 p.m. 8-week course on Tues. and Thurs. with resident jeweler Eric Messin. $290 for Southampton Historical Museum members, $310 non-members, $40 for materials.

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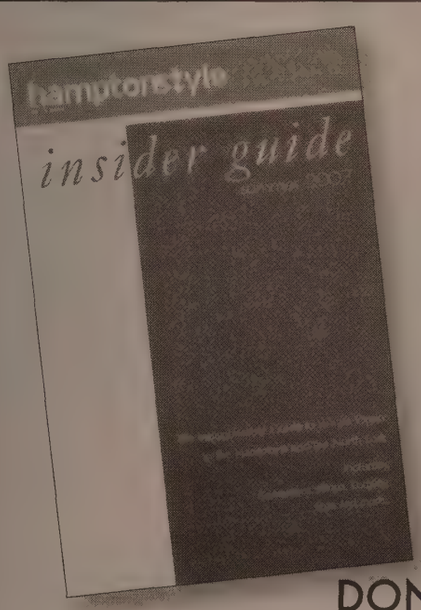

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When In Manhattan... BY OLIVER PETERSON

Our Fair City

My first "When in Manhattan" column was published on November 14th, 2003. I covered the Modernism Show at the New York Armory and did my best to include the Hamptons and the things we might care about. I was working on my MFA at Southampton College and this, my second published article, was a real feather in my cap. When the editor praised the piece and added two large pictures to highlight it, I was overjoyed. Getting published in *Dan's Papers* was one of my first goals as a writer. At the time, the Manhattan article was going to be a one time shot, but I got lucky. The paper assigned me a couple more. They were pleased with the results and before long I was asked to be an official, full-fledged columnist. With this new title came a nominal pay raise and, for the most part, complete freedom to cover and discuss whatever I chose. Over the years, the editors and I have clashed only a handful of times and, to their credit, they were usually right to request I tone down some of the more abrasive content or omit various personal items that had no relevance to the chosen topic. With a background in creative writing I often write about myself. There's a fine line columnists must tread. We should allow for a bit of personal essay while avoiding the temptation to dive head first into the waters of self-indulgence. With that said, I have never had a problem tossing in what usually adds up to more than a dash of my favorite spice – me. Loyal readers of "When in Manhattan" (if there are any) should know where I

grew up, went to school, what I like to eat, my wife's name, my dog's name, my favorite bands, books, hobbies, artists and my plans for the future. Readers walked alongside me, step-by-step, as I prepared for my wedding in 2004-2005. They read about my honeymoon. I hope they went to see the things I wrote about and walked the same rooms, corridors, streets and sidewalks that I walked.

New York City has undergone major changes throughout the last decade or so. My frustration with widespread gentrification and what one might call anesthetizing of our neighborhoods has never been a secret. I believe in progress and I support change, but it's difficult to watch the town I love lose much of what defined my experience. Sure, they don't sell dope on every corner in the East Village today, but it comes at the cost of a diverse and authentic cultural sprawl. We've recently seen the closing of the seminal punk venue CBGB's, the relocation of the Fulton Fish Market, the rebirth of Times Square in all its Disnified glory and a massive influx of upwardly mobile, young professionals Downtown. It's now rare to find a "scary" street in the Big Apple, even past midnight. I realize these things might not sound negative to most, but I've always loved New York for its edge. Regardless, the city remains close to my heart. Gotham is the city of my birth and will forever capture my imagination and inspire nostalgia and longing. The United States has been called a "melting pot" and New York is the epicenter. It maintains the crown as a capital of commerce, fashion, fine dining and the arts. It is a cross-cultural Mecca, where visitors can experience a true taste of what the wider world has to offer.

This will be my last column for *Dan's Papers*. I'm not sure what the fate of this section will be, but I'm moving on. I thank each reader and supporter of my work over these four-plus years. Manhattan, like me, may be in flux, but it's the greatest city in the world. Don't forget that. And don't take it for granted. It looms steadfast in its majesty. It will forever be there, close and available. Don't put off the trip 'til next week or the one after that. Stay diligent in your visits. There are always new things to see, and adventures, lessons and growth to experience. Maybe we'll cross paths again. Perhaps we'll share a seat on the Jitney and never know what we've enjoyed together during these great years.

CLASSIC CARS WITH BOB GELBER

When it comes to automobile design, past and present, the devil is certainly in the details. Let's start with post-war, work our way to the present and see how design details have helped or ruined many automobile aesthetics.

Virtually all of the world's car manufacturers introduced dramatic new car designs in 1949. All of GM's cars had new and rather stylistically, safe architecture that year, but it was Buick that had radical portholes in their front fenders. Though not original, the portholes were copied from PininFarina's groundbreaking Cisitalia coupe's design. They were quite dramatic on the Buick and became a styling detail on the Buick line for almost a decade. An esoteric footnote is that the entry-level Buick Special model had only three portholes and the more expensive Buick Roadmaster model had four portholes. Paying homage to the past, Buick recently added portholes to its cars last year. However, they are poorly done and actually look like two pairs of connected sunglasses. The new Maserati four-door also has three properly designed portholes in its front fenders.

Many post-war sports cars had front fender cutout air vents, with most of them a quite handsome detail. The great Italian trendsetter automobile design house of PininFarina put side vents on many early Ferrari models. Other Italian designers followed, resulting in sexy side vents on several Maserati models. Most side vents were indeed functional, allowing hot engine and exhaust manifold air to exit from under the hood. The magnificent 1954 Mercedes Benz 300SL had very large vents and Aston Martin had small slit vents. These vents were all different shapes and sizes, a beautiful design feature. By the way, the Buick air vents were not functional.

Most people don't realize that exposing the rear wheels of a car is a detail that is considered sporty. For many years, rear wheels of many conservative cars, like sedans and coupes, were partially covered because these wheels did not have to steer. Many cars had removable covers called fender skirts that were a pain to remove when they became old and rusty. Ninety-nine percent of sports cars had open wheels. What was most unusual was that the 1949 Jaguar XK-120, long considered one of the most beautiful and sporty cars ever produced, originally was offered with or without wire wheels. If one ordered plain, metal wheels, the rear tires were covered completely by what the British called wheel spats. The spats gave the car a completely different hunkered down look. Not ugly, just different. However, no early British sports car should be without wire wheels.

Speaking of Jaguars, in the early 1950s and 1960s, Jaguar seemed to be hitting home runs with the design of all its products. Probably the most beautiful mass produced sports car ever made, the 1963 Jaguar E-type was full of fresh details. One of my favorites is the large functional dual row of hood louvers that ran down the car's long hood, or should I say snout. When sitting in the car, the driver and passenger could actually see the polished aluminum twin cam covers of the engine. Visually, the view out the front of a XK-E is worth the price of admission alone. Hood louvers were nothing new. American hot-rodders had been putting them on their cars for years. The racing Austin Healys had them and many prewar vintage cars used them. However, it was the Jaguar designer, Malcolm Sayers, who had the taste level to put them on a street machine. One caveat – when it rained, the engine could get wet.

Two American cars designed in the mid 1950s, as far as details go, stand out – the 1954 Chevrolet Corvette and the 1955 Ford Thunderbird. Both of these cars are landmark vehicles and represent the best thinking of two of America's largest automobile manufacturers. The Corvette was the most impressive because it was there first, plus it was made with a new, rather experimental material called fiberglass. If you take away its protruding rocket ship tail lights and wrap around windshield, it bore a strange resemblance to a Porsche Speedster of the same period. It even had the same screen covered headlights that were a Porsche option. The Ford T-Bird was a safer design with a family resemblance to the rest of the Ford products of 1955. Undeniably handsome, the T-Bird was just not as sporty as the Corvette. That's the way it's been to this day. It's unfortunate that the newly designed retro Ford Thunderbird, built and taken off the market three years ago, didn't have quite the élan of the original 1955 T-Bird. The new retro T-Bird was out of proportion and just too long. The designers, probably because of budget restraints, were forced to build the car on a Lincoln chassis. Don't get me wrong, the big Bird is still awfully handsome, but like I said, the devil is in the details.

This theme will be continued in my next article. Look for it next week. As car marketing executives know, most people purchase a vehicle because of its looks. But it does make one wonder why some cars over the last few decades have been so beauty impaired.

Bob Gelber, an automotive journalist living in the Hamptons, appears regularly on television as an automotive expert. You can email him at bobgelber@aol.com

JUST FOR KIDS

Earth Day At The Quogue Wildlife Refuge

This past Earth Day, children and adults turned up for one of the Quogue Wildlife Refuge's most successful celebrations to date. The sunshine and warm weather allowed visitors to experience all of the activities the Refuge has to offer, including kayaking around the ponds to observe hard-to-reach birds' nests, learning about the animals in the distressed wildlife complex and watching the birds of prey strut their stuff in an exciting indoor bird show. Guests were also treated to a reptile show, face painting, a glass hive of working honeybees and magnificent artwork by some local wildlife photographers. As the event was co-sponsored by the Long Island Chapter of the Audubon society, there were also plenty of resources and goodies for fans of the East End's feathered friends. If you missed this great show, don't worry, because everything that visitors were able to learn and explore on Earth Day is being offered all year long at the Refuge – be sure to check the Day by Day and events sections in *Dan's Papers*, as well as the refuge's website at www.QuogueWildlifeRefuge.org, for more information and schedules.

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Dan's COMING UP

Upcoming events can be seen in the following sections:
Benefits – pg. 49, **Art Events** – pg. 70 **Movies** – pg. 62
Day by Day – pg. 49, **Kids' Events** – pg. 51

ART WORKSHOP – 5/5 – 10 a.m. Celebrate Keith Haring with Karyn Mannix. $20 for materials. Located at The Golden Eagle, 14 Gingerbread Lane, East Hampton. Call 631-324-0603.

STORYTELLING QUILT – 5/5 – 10:30 a.m. Create a picture block quilt using fabric and fabric markers based on the exhibit "Anatomy of a Whale." For children ages 8-12. Located at Southampton Historical Museums and Research, 17 Meeting House Lane, Southampton. Call 631-283-2494.

MOTHER'S DAY CRAFT – 5/5 – 10:45 a.m. Create a beautiful picture frame for your mom with local potter, Mary Jaffe. For children up to Grade 5. Registration required. Located at The Hampton Library, 2478 Main St., Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-0015.

DANCE CLASS – 5/5 – 2 p.m. Master dance class based on Twyla Tharp's classic 1970 piece, The Fugue, featuring New York's popular Dancewave Kid Company. Open to dancers of all levels, ages 12 and up. Located at Ross School Center for Well-Being, 18 Goodfriend Drive, East Hampton. Call 631-907-5112.

ONGOING

SOUTHAMPTON DAY CARE CENTER – Grand opening of the new toddler program. Located at 100 David Whites Lane, Southampton. Call 631-287-8734 for more information.

ROGERS MEMORIAL LIBRARY – Many new programs for children and teens have been added. For times and program details, call 631-283-0774. Located at 91 Coopers Farm Road, Southampton.

CMEE – Two larger-than-life sculptures will be on display through the summer. Located at 376 Bridgehampton Sag Harbor Turnpike, Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-8250 or visit www.cmee.org.

STORYTELLING MONDAYS – 3:30-4:30 p.m. Members of the East Hampton Library and Guild Hall staff will read selections from popular literature for children ages 3 and up. Children must be accompanied by a guardian. Located at 158 Main Street, East Hampton. Call 631-324-0806.

AFTER SCHOOL ART – Free art workshops will run through May 17 at the Parrish Art Museum, located at 25 Jobs Lane in Southampton. Registration required. Call 631-283-2118 or visit www.parrishart.org.

BATLLE OF THE BANDS – Bands wanted for fifth annual high school battle of the bands. Sponsored by the Town of Southampton Youth Bureau. Accepting applications from students in grades 9-12. Applications available at area high schools, libraries and music stores. Call 631-287-5734 or visit www.town.southampton.ny.us

RHYME TIME – 10 a.m. Wednesday mornings for children up to 3 years old. Toddler stories and a simple craft. Located at the Hampton Library, 2478 Main Street, Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-0015.

INDOOR PLAY GYM – Saturdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. For children up to 6 years old. Located at The Country School, 7 Industrial Road, Wainscott. Call 631-537-2255.

STORY TIME – 10 a.m. Saturday mornings for children ages 4-7. Age appropriate stories, music and a craft. Located at the Hampton Library, 2478 Main Street, Bridgehampton. Call 631-537-0015

QUOGUE LIBRARY STORYTIME – Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Join children of all age groups as they enjoy story time, literacy games, puzzles and more. Located at 90 Quogue Street, Quogue. Call for times and special programs, 631-653-4224.

FLIP-FLOP GYMNASTICS – Children's birthday parties, classes and one-day camps will be hosted throughout the winter. Located at 381 Old Riverhead Rd., Westhampton Beach. Call 631-288-2845 or visit www.flip-flopgymnastics.com.

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Day by Day (continued from page 49)

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WHALING LECTURE – 5/8 – 7-8 p.m. "Frozen in Ice: The Whaling Log of the Concordia 1864-1865" $5 adults, free for members. Located at Southampton Historical Museums and Research, 17 Meeting House Lane, Southampton. Call 631-283-2494.

DRAWING WORKSHOP – 5/8 – 10 a.m.-2 p.m. & 7-9:30 p.m. Two figure drawing workshops hosted by the Southampton Artists Association. Located at The Southampton Veterans Hall, 2 Pond Lane, Southampton. Call 631-725-5851.

WEDNESDAY, 9

BOOKHAMPTON – 5/9 – 5 p.m. "Teachers Only" book forum, the last of three successive evenings. Teachers from all schools on the East End are invited to come and participate in the exchange of ideas and approaches. Located at Bookhampton, East Hampton. Call 516-429-4618.

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THURSDAY, 10

OPEN MIC – 5/10 – 7 p.m. Open mic night at Tugboat's North Sea House, located at 1271 North Sea Rd., Southampton. Call 631-283-9347.

THE STEPHEN TALKHOUSE – 5/10 – Running Still at 8 p.m. Open Jam at 10 p.m. Located at 161 Main Street, Amagansett. Call 631-267-3117.

TWILIGHT THURSDAYS – 5/10 – 5-7:30 p.m. Live music, wine and complimentary cheeses every Thursday at Wöölffer Estate Vineyard. Enjoy the sounds of Paul Gene on keyboard and vocals and Mario Cruz on tenor saxaphone, and the vineyard view from the Tuscan-style tasting room. Located at 139 Sagg Road, Sagaponack. Visit www.wolffer.com or call 631-537-5106.

BAMBOO RESTAURANT & SUSHI LOUNGE – 5/10 – Come enjoy free sushi at the bar with half price sake martinis and lots of 80s and 90s music on Thursdays. On Sunday nights, enjoy 2 for 1 sushi and drink specials. Located at 47 Montauk Highway, East Hampton. Call 631-329-9821.

FREE LECTURE – 5/10 – 7:30 p.m. "Hurricane Research to Reduce Property Damage: Wall of Wind: Full-Scale Destructive Testing of Houses." Located at Duke Hall Stony Brook Southampton Campus, 239 Montauk Highway, Southampton. Call 631-632-5020.

LIVE MUSIC – 5/10 – 8-11 p.m. Every Thursday night The Mambo Loco Trio will play live Latin music at Estia Cantina, 177 Main Street, Amagansett. Call 631-267-6320.

ANNUAL BEER DINNER – 5/10 – 7 p.m. Beer sampling and four-course dinner. Tickets $60 per person. Located at Southampton Publick House, 40 Bowden Sq., Southampton. Call 631-283-2800.

OUTDOOR RECREATION & FITNESS

SATURDAY, 5

SAG HARBOR LITERARY TOUR – 5/5 – 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Meet at the windmill on Long Wharf. Co-sponsored by the John Jermain Library, walk through Sag Harbor's literary history. Call 631-725-5861.

NORTHWEST PAUMANOK PATH – 5/5 – 10 a.m. 5-6-mile hike. Meet at the trail head map on Route 114 near Edward's Hole Road in East Hampton. Call 631-329-2220.

SUNDAY, 6

LONG POND GREENBELT – 5/6 – 10 a.m. 5-mile hike. Meet at Mashashimuet Park, Sag Harbor. Call 631-725-2888.

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GUILD HALL – East Hampton Studios will be the temporary home for the 2007 John Drew Theater summer season due to the restoration scheduled to be complete by the following summer season.

AAUW SCHOLARSHIPS – American Association of University Women will award $500 scholarships to two female high school seniors that will attend college this fall and intend to pursue a career in education or social work. Students graduating from local high schools are encouraged to apply. Call 631-329-4177 for an application.

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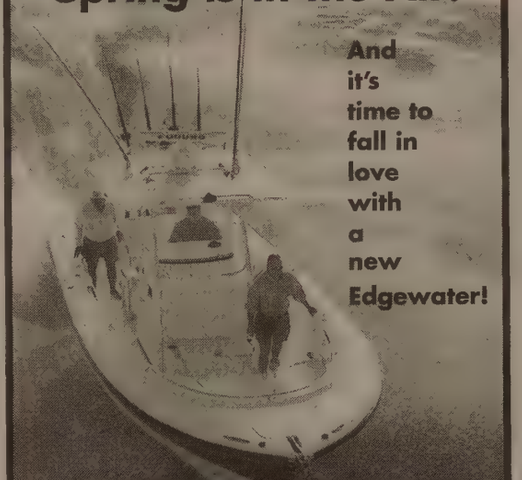

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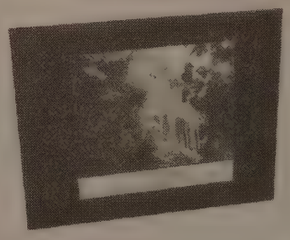

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Shop 'til You Drop... With Maria Tennariello

Mother's Day is around the corner and the shops are ready to help you choose the perfect gift for the perfect mom. Let's do some Mother's Day shopping!

At **Wild By Nature** in Hampton Bays, you will find fresh, natural and organic products. Also, if you spend $75, you can save $10 with the coupon found in *Dan's Papers.*

At **Dazzelle's** newly expanded space at 47 Jobs Lane in Southampton, now through May 14 there is a Mom's Day Sale in progress with 20% off spring suits, knits and blazers. The larger space offers room for more Lady Barbara clothing, which is great for cool summer evenings. Open all year, this one-stop shop is filled with everything from evening wear to summer cotton classics.

A special gift for mom this year would be a brand new Miele washer and dryer that just arrived at **Village Home Goods** on Jobs Lane in Southampton. These machines are especially made for large families, with quick one-touch programming, tailor made stands that provide storage and a laundry basket platform to make life easy.

At **Bombay** in the Bridgehampton Commons, look for all types of Mother's Day gifts or gifts for any occasion. I especially love the unique jewelry boxes, memory boxes, photo storage and photo frames in different styles and sizes. Look for planters and accents, garden and floral gifts, desk implements, jeweled keepsake boxes and so much more. You can save up to 40% on select items, and the shop is filled to the rafters with so much to choose from. You have to be in it to win it!

Loaves & Fishes Cookshop on Main Street in Bridgehampton has so much going on for summer entertaining. The shop is filled with beautiful entertaining tools and home goods. The shelves are stocked with dinnerware, cookware, serveware and small kitchen appliances. The BBQ's are up and

Loaves & Fishes Cookshop, Bridgehampton

ready to go, so if you are looking for a Viking dealer, this is your source. Visit www.landfcookshop.com or www.vikinghomechef.com for more information.

Look for a huge buy one, get one half-price sale on cotton sheet sets at **The Down Factory Store at The Elegant John** on Montauk Highway in East Hampton. Also available are wall hardware, poly-filled quilts and a select group of sheets discounted 30% to 80%. The ultra-luxurious, Siberian pillows have been reduced dramatically and are available in sizes ranging from standard to king. Take advantage of these great deals and give them a call at 631-324-2636.

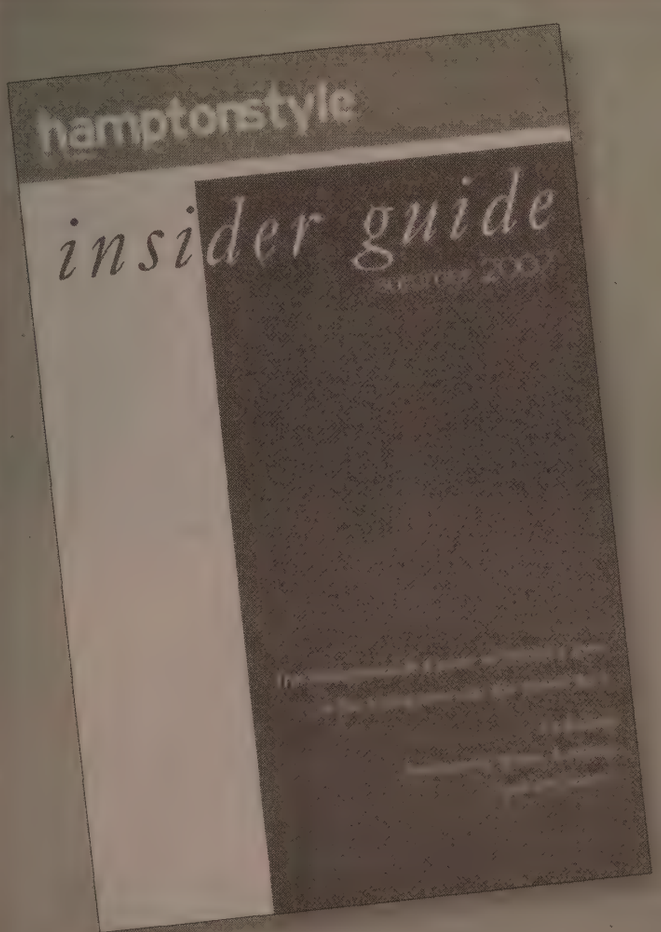
In Montauk at **Gurney's Inn Sea Water Spa,** you can give mom the gift of beauty with a membership for six or twelve months and get one extra month free, along with a set of Red Envelope makeup bags that are beautifully wrapped. Call 631-668-1892 for more information.

On the North Fork at **Billiard and Arcade World** located at 2698 Riverleigh Avenue in Riverhead, where furnishing your home's game room is their specialty, look for a spring sale on pool tables, arcade games, slot machines, juke boxes, pinball machines, ping pong tables, foosball tables, poker tables and supplies.

A New Kid on the Block: Her Royal Highness Princess-Marie Chantal of Greece is opening a specialty children's boutique in the heart of Southampton. Located at 94 Main Street, **Marie Chantal** will open its doors on May 3. With the new Southampton location, Marie Chantal is attempting to make the collection more accessible to those who appreciate the charming look of liberty prints, smocked dresses and effortless cashmere and silk. There will be a re-launch of www.mariechantal.com this spring. As Marie Chantal travels to major cities all over the world, she is devoted to gaining inspiration for her ever-expanding line of children's clothing and accessories. The clothing is offered in sizes ranging from 3-months to size 8 for boys and size 12 for girls. The boutique includes a large selection of layette, infant and toddler gifts and accessories, sportswear and special occasion clothing. There are currently four Marie Chantal signature shops located around the world, and the Marie Chantal Collection is also purchased by specialty shops worldwide and major department stores such as Barneys New York, Saks Fifth Avenue and Bergdorf Goodman.

Until next week, Ciao and Happy Mother's Day Shopping!

If your shop is having a sale, has new inventory, if you are a new business or have relocated, and want everyone to know about it, please e-mail me at shoptil@danspapers.com and newkids@danspapers.com, or via fax at 631-537-6755. I would love to hear all about it!



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MOTHER'S GIFT CATALOGUE

New Dad's First Mother's Day

Congratulations! You are a new dad – "It's a girl!" and "It's a boy" still ring loudly and proudly in your ears. You've been kissed and hugged by every aunt, uncle and cousin and your place is packed to the rafters with balloons and baby gifts. You are excited, but won't quite admit to anyone that you are extraordinarily overwhelmed and slightly confused. Your wife is crying one minute and laughing the next. You're being hugged by your mother-in-law, who expects you to know exactly what to do in order to make your wife feel loved and appreciated. Your buddies suggest buying her a present. Thinking they may be on to something, you head to the nearest mall in search of the perfect "thank you for bringing my child in to the world" gift.

But what kind of gift do you get for a new mom? Most women will appreciate just about anything if they see you thought of them. But tread carefully in your selection process. I highly suggest staying away from clothing items. Your significant other has probably gained at least 25 pounds during her pregnancy and will not feel quite themselves for a while. They will most likely prefer loose-fitting clothing for several weeks. But one item that is generally guaranteed to bring a smile to any new mom's face is jewelry, a seven letter word that means so much. A beautiful bracelet or ring with your new child's birthstone would have a deep meaning, especially if it is engraved with the baby's name and birth date. A locket to keep the baby's picture in would also be perfect. Hearsmith.com is a website devoted to lockets. You can pick out a beautiful piece in gold, white gold or platinum. The Evangeline Three Picture Window Locket in 14K gold is one of my favorites. This locket has room for three captivating pictures of your new arrival that any new mother would be proud to wear around her neck.

It's also a safe bet to buy her a picture frame or mini photo album. This will allow Mom to show off the new baby when she returns to work or goes out to lunch with friends. Find one that is purse-sized and can slip in and out of a bag with ease. On-line services such as Snapfish and KodakGallery can take your photos and turn them into portable albums that are bright, vivid and capture cherished moments with your new child. A beautiful picture frame is another perfect gift, especially when you place your baby's first picture in a platinum or crystal frame. Prop it on the table beside along with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, and you'll be guaranteed to make her smile.

Books are wonderful gifts. There is such a wide assortment to choose from for new moms. The *What to Expect* series is chock full of useful information. *What to Expect: The First Year* saved my sanity during the first few months of my son's arrival. The book provides information on everything from feeding and getting your child to sleep, to innoculation information and what to do in emergency situations. The book makes you to feel like you finally have some insight to the world of babies. For example, if she can't figure out what a specific cry means, these books allow new moms to read other mother's stories and realize that they are not alone.

Another great gift is a visit to a spa or salon. New moms need pampering. Any mom will appreciate the opportunity to soak in a bubble bath and have a day of pure relaxation. Get together with another new dad and offer to babysit the kids. Hand the moms gift certificates for a day at the spa and a lavish lunch or dinner. They'll be so thankful.

If you pass Godiva or another sweet shop, don't hesitate to stop in and bring your favorite new mom some treats. Have the shop create a treat in the shape of a baby bootie or a rattle. Don't forget to snap a picture of Mom sinking her teeth into the sweet treat to add to the baby book.

Show new moms just how excited and proud you are to have the newest member of your family living in your home. Gifts from the heart are the most appreciated. Enjoy making every day Mothers' Day and cherish every moment with your new arrival – they grow up so fast!

– Jessica Gold

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At Your Service, Mom

Mother's Day is just around the corner, and if you're stumped about what to give this year, there's an easy way to go beyond chocolate, cards and candy. Instead of rushing out to find the "perfect" gift, start Mom's special day off with an elegant breakfast in bed. It will make her feel loved and appreciated.

When she wakes up, give her a menu of what will be served and then head back to the kitchen to get started. Before preparing the breakfast, it is important to think about its presentation. First, find a sturdy tray that is big enough to hold all of the items you plan to serve and line it with a decorative doily, place mat or large napkin. Set up the china, napkins and silverware as though it were an elegant table. There are many ways to add a sweet, personal touch, such as wrapping the silverware with a decorative ribbon and flowers. Also, buy some of her favorite fresh flowers to display in a vase. Ultimately, Mom should feel like she's being served at a luxurious five-star hotel, in the comfort of her own bed.

The next step is to prepare a meal that she will love. Depending on her personal tastes, some easy and popular choices are Eggs Benedict, Eggs Florentine, cinnamon French toast, enchiladas or pancakes. Any egg dish can be made more elegant by adding smoked salmon, goat cheese and other special ingredients. To save time, prepare as much as possible the night before. Also, include side dishes such as a sausage, bacon, fresh fruit, a small cheese platter, homemade muffins, biscuits or a yogurt parfait, making sure that all are displayed attractively. For example, if you choose to make a yogurt parfait, serve it in a fancy glass goblet decorated with sliced strawberries, kiwis and other colorful fruits. When finished preparing the meal, pour a glass of fresh orange juice, a cup of coffee or perhaps even a smoothie and bring her the tray, being careful not to spill anything, of course.

If possible, arrange several large pillows behind Mom's back for support, so she is comfortable. Turn off the phone and give her a copy of *Dan's Papers* or another favorite magazine to read. And last, but certainly not least, clean the kitchen when you're done. This might be the best present of all.

Another way to show thanks later in the day is by making a festive picnic basket. Because, after all, most mothers just want to spend quality time with their families – a gift that is priceless. Find a tablecloth, blanket and a basket with handles and then decide what food to pack. If preparing sandwiches, pack the toppings, such as tomatoes, lettuce, onions and condiments, separately to avoid soggy bread. To make a gourmet picnic basket, pack cheese, crackers, a bottle of wine and a fancy dessert, such as chocolate covered strawberries. Avoid cream-based foods that spoil easily, such as coleslaw and potato salad. It is a good idea to keep wet and dry items separately, and remember to bring plenty of water. Nowadays, many baskets come equipped with plastic dishes, cups and utensils – there are also companies that sell prepackaged picnic baskets. Bring some music and plan outdoor activities that the entire family can enjoy together after the picnic.

There are so many options when preparing a meal for your mother, but it should be based on her personal tastes and preferences. Although we should show our appreciation year-round, Mother's Day is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate motherhood, and there are few gestures more thoughtful than giving her a luxurious breakfast in bed or family picnic.

– Janine Cheviot

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A Blooming Mother's Day

May is upon us, which means it is time to celebrate the one person truly responsible for bringing you into the world – your mother. It's important to show her how much you appreciate everything she does for you, and giving flowers is a great way to make her day meaningful and memorable.

On Mother's Day, it is important to choose flowers that will convey the message "I love you." When deciding on an arrangement, don't just go online and order any boring arrangement, put some thought into it. Take a trip to your local flower shop to find an arrangement perfect for your mother. Flower shops are better for choosing arrangements than the Internet. On the Internet, you have to rely on a picture without the option to look around and experiment with different color combinations. Most flower shops deliver in the same amount of time as online flower retailers. In addition to not paying the surcharge, you can ask the florist what flowers last longest.

Before heading to the flower shop, research a few things about your mother. Find out her favorite colors, flowers and if she has allergies. If she has allergies, perhaps you should opt for a gorgeous bouquet of silk flowers. They can be made from the finest silk and they look completely natural, while saving your mom a few sniffles. When choosing silk flowers, pick a color that matches your mother's décor. Because they never wilt, they might be around for a long time. If she doesn't have allergies, fresh, seasonal flowers are always beautiful to look at. Roses are always a popular choice, but also predictable and priced high around Mother's Day. Lilies are also a popular choice to give on Mother's Day. White lilies are meaningful since white is the color of peace, love and tranquility. A bouquet of fresh-cut hyacinths offset with red or yellow tulips would also be just enough to brighten anyone's day. The vibrant colors of the tulips will emphasize the delicate color and beauty of the hyacinths. Orchids are always a hit. There is nothing like the sight of a perfectly formed velvety, magenta orchid. If gardening is one of your mother's hobbies, consider buying a lovely basket of bulbs that she can replant in her garden and enjoy year after year. Crocuses, irises and tulips are all bulbs that look beautiful when arranged in a basket. For a personal touch, order roses from Roses by Design, which allows you to personalize the petals with your own message. Although bamboo is not a flower, do not forget about it. Bamboo is said to bring luck and is very serene and easy to care for. Who wouldn't want to bring their mother luck on Mother's Day?

When choosing how to display the flowers, most shops sell a wide variety of unique and colorful vases. If your mother collects teapots or another type of container, find a new piece for her collection and use it as a vase. It is also a good idea to match the color of the flowers to an accent color in the vase. Mix the sizes of the flowers, making sure to incorporate both large and small blossoms.

This year, surprise your mom with a bouquet of flowers that she will absolutely love. Whether you decide to go with traditional roses or something more unique such as bamboo, choose an arrangement that will touch her heart and prove how much you appreciate everything that she does.

– Kelly Merritt

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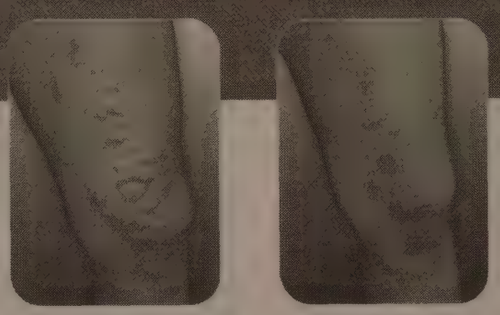

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Give the Gift of Giving

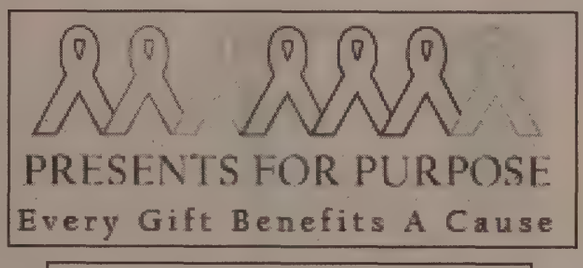
When I think of all the gifts my mother has given me over the years, from horseback riding lessons to first day of school outfits, digital cameras to vases for my new home, the ones that meant the most were not tangible at all. The first gift your mother gives you is a one-way ticket through the birth canal and, from that moment, she never stops giving – advice, hugs, support. Mother's Day is our opportunity to give back. And the most significant presents carry more than a weighty price tag. This year, give your mom something that will mean a lot to her – a gift that keeps giving.

Presents for Purpose is an organization founded by two women, Cynthia W. Dressel and Alayna Kassan, after each battled Hodgkins Disease, a form of Lymphoma. They met in 1999, when they were both involved in fundraising and volunteering to help give back to the community that supported them when they were in need.

However, conventional forms of fundraising proved less effective than they wanted, so the two women came up with a brilliant idea – they would design and sell trendy, unique items and a portion of their profits would go towards supporting the cause. In 2002, they designed their first line of products – crystal watches. They were a hit and quickly sold out. That same year, Dressel and Kassan donated $20,000 to the Lymphoma Research Foundation, and Presents for Purpose was born.

Now, Presents for Purpose has grown into an organization that works with dozens of charities. You can purchase a wide variety of items and then choose the charity you want your money to benefit. There are gifts for every woman, from jewelry to handbags and watches to clothing. And you're sure to find a charity that will mean a lot to mom.

The Purpose, Hope, and Charity bracelet is a beautiful, sterling silver charm bracelet with a message your mom will be proud of, and feel good wearing knowing that 25% of the proceeds go to a charity that you selected. The bracelet costs $68 and comes in two sizes, one for adults and one for children.



If your mother is anything like mine, then she has more shoes than she knows what to do with. One creative product offered on the Presents for Purpose web site is a fashionable shoe bag, which can be monogrammed for an additional $10. For those days when she's planning on hoofing it around the city, she can carry her dancing shoes in this cool shoe bag. It comes in a variety of colors. Before monogramming, this bag costs $26, and again, 25% of the proceeds go to the charity of your choice.

For the mother who's always doing a million things at once, the compact mirror is a necessity. In between dropping the kids off at soccer practice and heading to work, she'll need to take a quick look at herself. At Presents for Purpose's website, you'll find a lovely selection of compact mirrors with a variety of designs. The peace mirror, which comes in green, black or pink, is decorated with dazzling Swarovski crystals set in enamel.

Spotlight is a program from Presents for Purpose which calls attention to a certain charity. Specific designs are created to "spotlight" the selected charity. For Mother's Day, New York-based designer Elissa Bloom has designed a line of coin purses with intricate beadwork. The beading features either a pink ribbon for breast cancer or a teal ribbon for ovarian cancer. Ms. Bloom will donate 10% of the proceeds to either the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition or the Ellie Fund, which aids the families of women battling breast cancer.

Some of the other charities you can choose to benefit from your purchase include CancerCare, First Book, First Candle/SIDS Alliance, Grassroots Soccer, Joan's Legacy, Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Lymphoma Research Foundation, Strang Cancer Prevention Center, Stay-Bandz, The Creative Coalition, and Y-ME National Breast Cancer Organization.

Mothers are natural givers and they give something so much deeper than material possessions. This Mother's Day, thank her in a meaningful way. She'll be proud not only that her gift benefited someone in need, but also that she raised a son or daughter as thoughtful as you.

– Emily J Weitz

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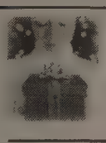

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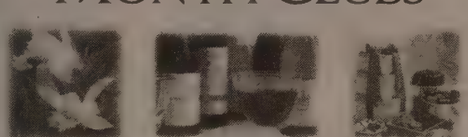

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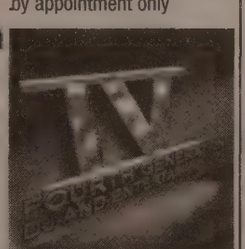

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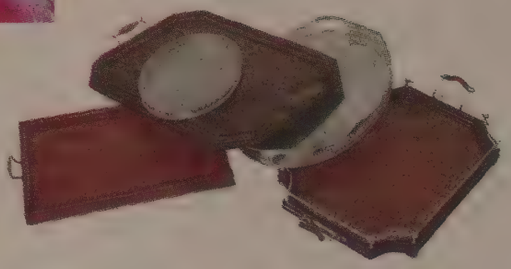

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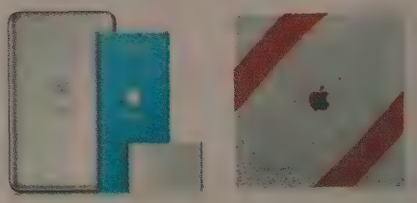

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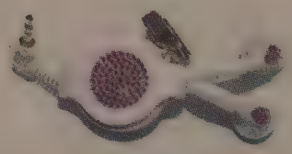

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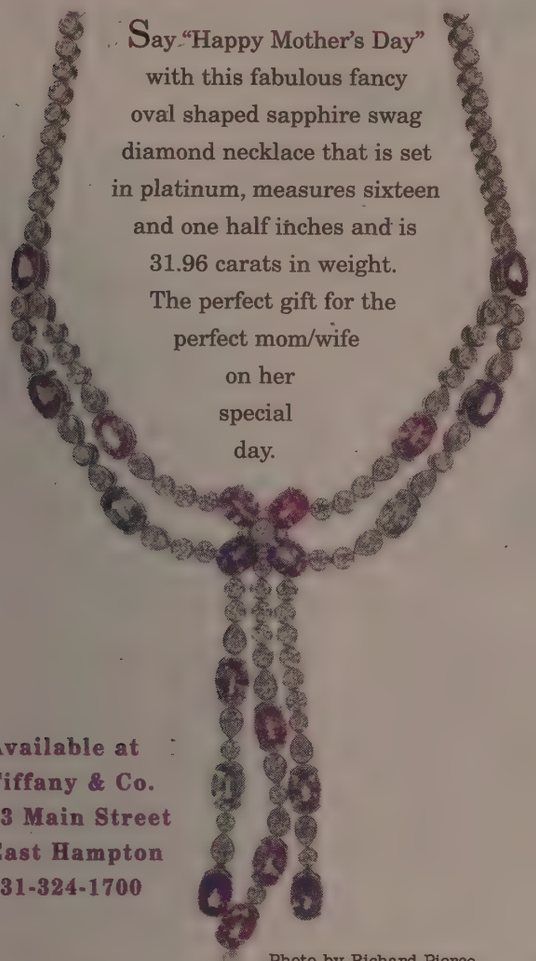

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review: the pirate queen...by gordin & christiano

Boubil and Shonberg, the musical partners that brought us *Les Miserables* and *Miss Saigon,* have fashioned a new epic musical, *The Pirate Queen.* The musical is based on the true story of Grace O'Malley, a colorful seafaring pirate woman, who defended Ireland during the mid-sixteenth century from England's invasions at the time of Queen Elizabeth I. The two men have joined forces with producers Moya Doherty and John McColgan, the husband and wife team that created the international hit *Riverdance,* popular around the world during the 1990s. Everything about this massive musical, from the rumored $16-20 million budget to the 26 musical numbers performed by the enormous cast, feels like a bloated paint by the number formula to create a mega-musical from this historic tale.

Photo by Joan Marcus

Directed by Frank Galati with musical staging by Graciela Daniele, the musical suffers under the heavy burden of its own ambitions and a plodding plot, and although the entire cast performs courageously with total commitment and sings with convincing force, little about the evening is ever compelling. What is ultimately the most engaging part of the show is the explosive dancing that unfortunately happens infrequently.

The book for the musical is based on a novel, *Grania – She King of the Irish Seas*, by Morgan Llywelyn and from the title alone you would think there might be many opportunities for campy moments, like in the film *Pirates of the Caribbean*. This is not the case, however, and the story becomes bogged down with too much exposition. The few campy moments that do show up are not at sea, but back in England at the court of Queen Elizabeth I. There are doses of romance mixed with the sea battles and even some intrigue back in England, but all the while we are waiting for more dancing.

At almost two hours and 50 minutes, the show feels like a Harlequin romance with the first act being especially slow. Grace (Stephanie J. Block) disguises herself as a boy so she can sneak on ship with her pirate father Dubhdara (Jeff McCarthy) and prove herself as a worthy sailor. When a storm arises, she is instrumental in saving the ship from going under and wins support from her father and the crew. Grace then agrees to an arranged marriage with Donal (Marcus Chait), the son of a rival clan, despite her love for a childhood friend Tiernan (Hadley Fraser). When Grace's father is killed during battle, she becomes his successor.

Back in England, Elizabeth I (Linda Balgord) is enraged at her loses on the Irish Sea and engages an unscrupulous Sir Richard Bingham (William Youmans) to help her defeat the pirates. The musical builds to a showdown between Grace and the Queen, but the audience feels cheated as much of their confrontation takes place behind a scrim. The two women share admiration for each other and their rebellious spirits in a duet, "She Who Has All," that is nicely staged with light pouring in from a window high above them.

The score for the musical, which has made obvious attempts to recreate the success of *Les Miserables,* is stirring indeed but much of the easy listening tunes sound familiar or repetitive and have little to do with Irish folk music. There are clearly melodic reprises of songs that sound like variations on "Master of the House," and "Bring Him Home."

In the leading role, Stephanie Block sings beautifully and makes a spirited turn as Grace, but she is one small piece in a gigantic puzzle whose pieces don't seem to fit. In fact, none of the cast can be faulted but they are suffering with the burden of keeping a sinking ship afloat.

There is a strange dichotomy at work here. When you look at the elements individually, they are not necessarily bad. But when put together, nothing really jells and *The Pirate Queen* is a tedious bore. I am sure the creators wanted to tap into the teenage market from *Wicked,* a mega-hit that is still packing them in, but the formula has suffered from too many chefs, too much exposition and not enough real emotion.

The Pirate Queen opened on Broadway April 4 at Hilton Theatre, 312 West 42nd Street between Seventh and Eighth Avenues. Tickets are available by calling 212-239-6200 or at the box office.

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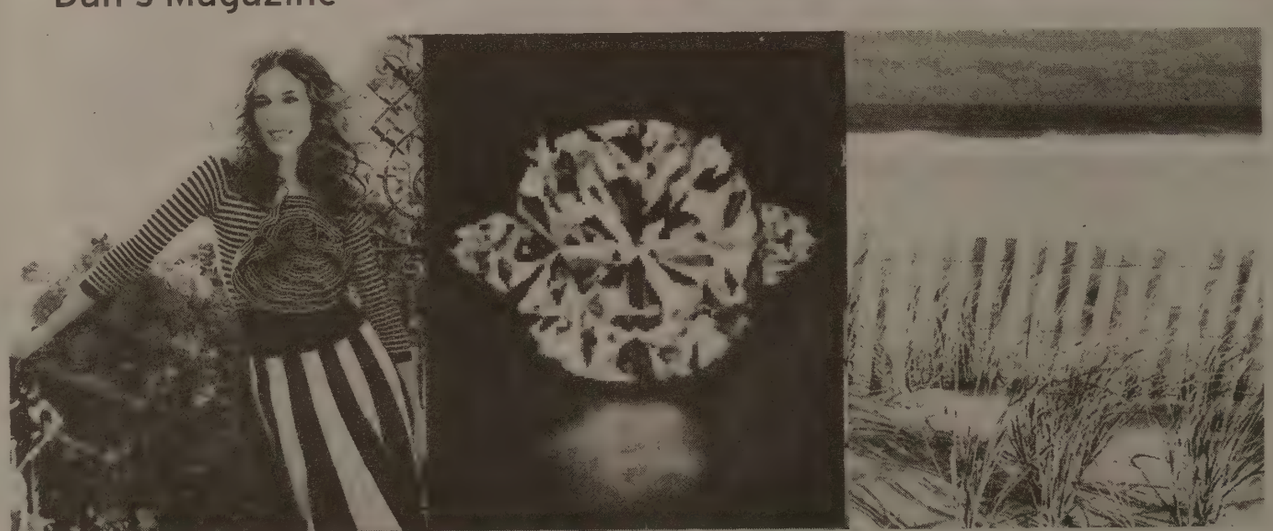

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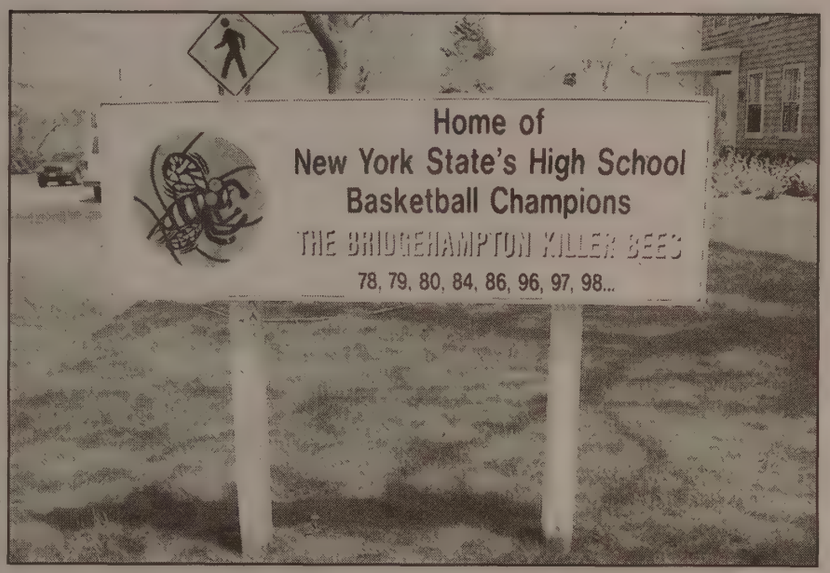

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Here in Bridgehampton, Carl Johnson, head coach of the High School boys' basketball team, is a hometown hero. Over the years, his team's success has brought great pride and inspiration to a community that he knows very well. Not only did he coach the Killer Bees to three consecutive state titles ('96-'98), but he also won three championship rings as a player for Bridgehampton ('78-'80), making him the first person in New York State history to win titles as both coach and player.

Mr. Johnson says it was exciting to win as a player, but more gratifying to win as a coach – a task that was unforeseen by him. "I got into coaching by accident. I didn't have anything to do with my extra time, so a former coach of mine asked me to help out with the Jr. High team," he explained. "I told him I didn't know anything about coaching, but he said, 'you'll do fine'." Fine was an understatement. During his 17-year reign, the Killer Bees have been an electrifying force in the community. Large, rowdy crowds fill the stands of their tiny gym, known as the "beehive," to see the "swarming bee-fense" and "stinging offense," terms coined by fans over the years. Each time the Killer Bees returned to Bridgehampton after competing in a state championship tournament, the fire department escorted their bus through town, a banner was hung across Montauk Highway and a sign was erected at the entrance of the hamlet. "It was an unbelievable feeling to know that the community was proud of us," said Johnson. But even when the team isn't wining state titles, the community is supportive and knows they'll eventually be back, because, like they say, "Killer Bees never die."

Johnson claims that the secret to his success is really no secret at all. He recognizes the extraordinary talent that has come through the program, but feels getting kids involved at a young age is key. "It's good for them to experience school spirit early so they associate pride with the uniform and want to be part of the legacy." Johnson also credits his players for taking time out of their busy schedules to spend with the younger kids in the program. "They become their role models," said Johnson, who has never cut a player from his team. He believes that if a player is dedicated and can handle the hard work and pressure, they can be part of the team.

The Bridgehampton Killer Bees compete as a Class D school, meaning they are placed in a division with other low enrollment schools. The maximum enrollment for a Class D school is 214, but Bridgehampton currently enrolls about 36. So in reality, they compete against teams from much larger schools, which makes their accomplishments even more impressive.

In 2003, Johnson was inducted into the Suffolk Sports Hall of Fame. "I was very surprised that the board thought my accomplishments were good enough to be voted in. It was an amazing opportunity. I felt great about it," he said.

The Bridgehampton boys' basketball team has all the pieces it needs to succeed. They've won trophies, produced standout players, have a loyal, enthusiastic fanbase and community support, however, until recently there was no booster club. In fact, Bridgehampton was the only school in the area that didn't have one. Johnson recognized this weakness in the program, and knew it was time to get the ball rolling. "We've been lacking a booster club for a long time, and when we brought up the idea to parents and other members of the community, everyone was really enthusiastic and wanted to help out in anyway they could," he said. Although the Killer Bee Booster Club is separate from the school, Bridgehampton High School Principal, Jack Pryor, recognizes the direct connection Johnson has with the community. "He's [Johnson] a legacy here, and a real central figure to the social capital of the school. I appreciate everything he is doing to keep our school spirit alive."

On May 5, an art show and auction will be held at the Bridgehampton Community House to benefit the Killer Bee Booster Club. The night begins at 6 p.m., when attendees will have the opportunity to preview fine art, sports memorabilia, music memorabilia and other items up for grabs. There will also be wine, cheese, coffee and cake availible. Ross Galleries is supplying the artwork for the auction, and will include pieces by Wooster Scott, Orlando, Lena Liu, Shaviko, Kinkade, Rockwell, Disney Cells and many more. Live auction bidding begins at 7 p.m., and each item is guaranteed to be priced below retail value and will include an exclusive lifetime exchange privilege.

This is the first fundraiser for the organization, and Mr. Johnson hopes that if the auction is successful it will become an annual event. "We are very pleased by the generous support and contributions we have received so far from the area businesses," he added. All proceeds from the auction will support the Killer Bee Booster Club.

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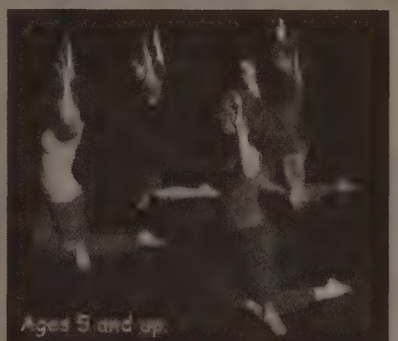

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Guy de Fraumeni's Hollywod In The Hamptons

Fracture

What do you do when given *two* kinetic acting wizards going at each other in a *too* clever cat-and-mouse thriller? Well, kiddos, you do exactly what you do at an explosively entertaining Fourth of July fireworks display at the beach – you sit back and enjoy it. You gasp! You oooh! You aahhh! You are enthralled by the wonder of it all. While being bowled over by the consummate ol' master craftsman, Anthony Hopkins and youthful, drama whizkid, Ryan Gosling, you do not try to search out any backstories to add innards to the characters. The actors do it for the writers and director, by stuffing their roles with personal éclat and sheer, razor-edged professionalism. And, never mind that their vehicle, *Fracture*, is totally outlandish. (It could have been inspired by Jay Ward's old TV animated cartoons "Fractured Fairytales.") Okay? Now sit back and enjoy.

Sir Anthony very nearly reprises his Hannibal Lecter portrayal as legend-in-his-own-time aeronautical engineer Ted Crawford, whose brilliance enables him to detect even the most infinitesimal glitch (or, you might say, *Fracture*) in a vastly intricate system. Got it? His extraordinary skills allow him to get into underlings' heads and mess with them. Unfortunately, he does this to his young wife, Embeth Davidtz, with a bullet when he finds she has been cheating on him with a married cop, Billy Burke. Complications are adored by Crawford. Not only does he plan to outsmart the law, he will frame her lover and get away with the crime – that is, if he can manipulate the grey matter in the assistant District Attorney's head, which is on the capable neck and shoulders of Willy Beachum, played by Oscar-nominated Ryan Gosling. Willy is a hotshot lawyer who wants to get out of the musty, civic hallways that lead to a tiresome pension and instead, strut down the rich corridors of corporate law to fame and fortune. He knows, of course, that the well-heeled, cutthroat heels that clatter down the posh, private sector halls have a devilish evil in them that equals that of the public criminal. But, oh! The last trial before leaving will be humbling.

Fracture almost finesses itself off the screen. Slippery glib and slick as enamel, the director, Gregory Holblit, revisits his *Primal Fear* of eleven years ago and adds many more twists, curves, swerves and U-turns. In the style of Hitchcock, it isn't so much about what has and is happening, it's about what can or will happen. It's a minefield of questions. What happened to the gun that Crawford used to put the bullet into his wife's face? The police showed up so soon after. The shooter instigated a fight with the cop/lover to make him look bad later and the gun disappeared. This mystery is only a small part of the difficulty Willy has to face as Crawford assumes his own defense. At the start, the case against Crawford seemed a slam-dunk. (Oh, those fateful words.) However, Willy, who is a rather white-trash Southerner, is wanting to get into the very WASPy law firm that represents some of the most despicable predators in the corporate swamp of business low-life critters. Hopkins' Crawford is merely a cunning sociopath. So smug, so self appreciative, a jail scene interrogation has him breaking down Gosling's Hamlet-like Beachum, showing off his mastermind skills for twisting people's heads and making them his.

The other woman permitted in this fella's movie is the easy-to-look-at Rosamund Pike, as Willy's lady friend, and could-be future superior, Nikki Gardner. Nikki has only a bit more to do (besides look good in a sweater) than Crawford's wife, laying in a pool of blood. She has an easy time being attracted to Willy, Gosling's eye maneuvers alone can wilt her. Its a feast simply watching him work. Watch him listen to his mentor and moral conscience, played by David Strathairn, the District Attorney Joe Labruto. Boy, that guy is as steady as a rock. Sir Anthony works his way through a devilishly engaging script that doesn't mean a thing, but it's got that zing. He chews every page deliciously, as if with his permanent sides of fava beans and nice Chianti. The humor written into the script cannot match the obvious fun and pleasure he enjoys from working on a picture as frivolous as this one and working opposite the matching talent of Gosling.

It's said the two stars did actually clash. Gosling, of the new school, takes everything seriously, including playing opposite someone he's in awe of. It made him more apprehensive of the script's directions. He had as many questions as the script. Hopkins' old school method is, "Hit the mark and say the lines." Gosling did get the ending re-shot. I didn't notice any personal fireworks. Maybe you will.

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MAYOR ED KOCH Goes To THE MOVIES

The Valet (-)

Everything about this movie is ridiculous. It is cliché ridden, obvious in almost every scene, vacuous, and just plain silly.

Stephen Holden gave it a good review in *The New York Times*. He wrote, "Francis Veber, who wrote and directed *The Valet*, is a master of the modern French farce. And this film has the same tight structure and carefully plotted surprises and reversals as his earlier comedies *The Dinner Game* and *The Closet*. These movies are wonderfully frothy contrivances, built with traditional machinery from models that have been around for centuries."

I must admit that slight comedies almost always bore me, and this one was no exception. It can't compare with *The Importance of Being Ernest* by Oscar Wilde, or the old romantic comedies starring Cary Grant, Katherine Hepburn and Spencer Tracy.

The main character in *The Valet* is a wealthy businessman, Pierre (Daniel Auteuil), who is married to Christine (Kristin Scott Thomas). Pierre is having an affair with a model that physically towers over him, Elena (Alice Taglioni). Elena insists that Pierre divorce his wife, but since Christine owns 60 percent of his business, a divorce would ruin him financially.

Pierre and Elena are seen together and a photo of them appears in the newspaper, which upsets Christine. A plot is hatched by Pierre's lawyer, Mr. Foix (Richard Berry), which claims that the third blurred figure in the photo, Francois (Gad Elmaleh), is Elena's actual lover.

You'll have to see the movie to learn how it all sorts out. But trust me, if you never know how it ends, you aren't missing a thing.

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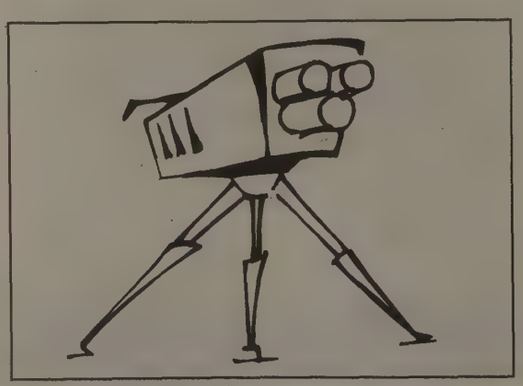

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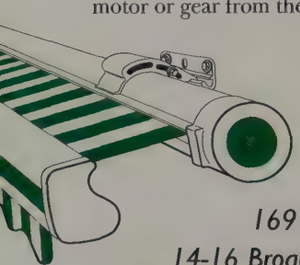

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Welcome to the Hamptons Home and Garden Show

Welcome to the Hamptons Home and Garden Show in Southampton and this useful supplement published by *Dan's Papers*. This three-day event is among the most distinctive, high-shows of its kind on the East Coast. It has taken nearly a year to cull the extraordinary lineup of exhibitors you'll be meeting on the Expo floor. They come locally, from the NYC tri-state area and from around the nation. They have one thing in common – they are serious about selling their products and services on the East End. They value your presence and want your business. Never before in the Hamptons has such a wide selection of high-quality home improvement solutions been showcased at one time. In fact, the Expo has grown more than 40% from last year alone.

It's all here for you, from whatever phase of home improvement you are in or considering. We have what you need, even if it is just organizing your closet or an extreme makeover of your entire residence. Whether you need a shot of inspiration or to be juiced up by a plethora of fresh ideas, we have it for you. It's fun just to roam through the aisles of 275 eye-catching displays inside our huge 32,000 square foot, fully enclosed and carpeted tent and building as well our Outdoors Luxury Living Expo. What a rare chance to "shop the store" on our 17-acres, so, check out the Hamptons Miracle Mile, Home Improvement version, May 4-6, at the Southampton Elks Fairgrounds on County Road. 39.

In addition to home improvement displays such as windows, doors, flooring, roofing, pools and spas, this year the Expo embraces design and décor. You'll see rows and rows of tantalizing kitchen, bedroom and living room vignettes where interior designers "do their thing." Experience striking artisan, one-of-a kind furniture for both indoors and outdoors, made by some of the most talented furniture-makers on the East Coast. In fact, we are offering attendees a free 20-minute interior design consultation with savvy members of the American Society of Interior Designers, brought to you by *@Home Magazine*. Get jazzed by meeting gifted stonescape designers and masons who "work magic" with stone to enhance both indoor and outdoor living spaces.

Rick Friedman

Even the standard home improvement staples at this show are unique and upscale. From terra-cotta roofs, rare antique wood and wide plank flooring, to lavish pools and spas, powerful marble entrances and fireplaces, memorable landscaping and well-built sunrooms, are just for starters.

You'll be able to compare prices on competitive services such as lawn and tree care, fencing, chimney cleaning, waste removal, basic remodeling, window treatments and tinting, even mortgage and financial services. Not to be out-done, Chase Bank is offering "on the spot loans," so perhaps it pays to check-in with them before you whisk yourself around the Expo. Your budget may now be more robust than you anticipated.

We aptly refer to the outdoor portion of the show as Outdoor Luxury Living Expo, which is sponsored by radio station WBAZ. Come and see why. Explore 45,000 square feet of magnificent displays. You'll see ways to better express yourself in your outdoor living space. Is it outdoor furniture that you seek? We are practically growing teak wood trees in the back field and there are even outdoor bedrooms and kitchens on display. You can back your SUV up for the following items, which will all be in full stock such as memorable arbors, 12-foot estate fountains, garden antiques, pool houses and collectable Persian rugs.

If technology is your thing, you'll tinker with high-tech kitchens, cutting-edge security systems, cool smart rooms and the hippest audio and video set-ups. They all come installed.

The Hamptons Home & Garden Show offers its timely answer to Earth Day with the GreenHamptons Pavilion. A select group of 25 displays with eco-friendly products are identified in the indoor Expo. You can save thousands of dollars off your energy bill with some of the products featured in this area. To explain it all for you, we have two green buildings that serve as solar energy learning centers. Bring the kids along as experts while you walk through the "A to Z of the solar electric and heating, geothermal and wind power processes." Special thanks for "going above and beyond" to Go Solar's SunShack Learning Center and Anthony Mussos's Green Cottage. The Cottage will be auctioned off on Sunday at 2 p.m. The bidding starts at $7k. See the companion article on the GreenHamptons Pavilion in this supplement.

Are you an art collector? We'll get you juiced as you view a selection of art works, ranging from unique indoor and outdoor sculpture, artisan-made furnishings, to decorative art and fine art paintings – including an art show for local living legend painter Robert Dash, presented by Mark Borghi Fine Arts.

If "off-beat items" and services turn you on, you've come to the right place. Get ready for DJ Chef (yes, he cooks and spins) and his in-home inventory prep services. There will also be yard sales run by pros, Radu's famous fitness workouts, (wear loose pants) and even the NYS Comptroller Office for Unclaimed Funds who are there to return your money. You read that right. Last year, 190 lucky attendees –remarkably, 1 out of 3 that stopped at their booth- got good news and a check.

If you're "in the Trade" (builders, contractors, architects, interior designers and real estate agents) you are cordially invited to the VIP tent for Saturday's B2B Networking Party, 3-5 p.m. and bring plenty of business cards to pass around.

Luxury living as an idyllic lifestyle is personified in the Hamptons, and not surprisingly, at the Hamptons Home & Garden Show too. You can sit down and relax in one of our designer furniture lounges, which are scattered throughout the show. This includes Hamptons.com's Internet Lounge, that is a must stop. For a couple of extra dollars, ($35) you can purchase a VIP Pass, which gets you into the coveted VIP tent in the middle of the Oudoor luxury Living Expo. Interiors are by Anne Marie DeSalvo of DeSalvo Interiors and *New York Spaces Magazine*, you can refresh in this trendy setting filled with complementary coffee, beverages, wines, beer, bourbon, mint julips and tasty treats.

Getting hungry yet? Have lunch with us. Try the smart, tasty and affordable fare offered in the Moroccan Restaurant, presented by Black Tie Caterers. Thirsty, the Southampton Publick House Beer Garden featuring Southampton Ales and Lagers is a natural choice for those over the age of 21.

Get warmed up for the 2007 summer Season of Fund-Raisers, after all, the Hamptons is the fundraiser capital of the world. There's a three-day silent auction of indoor and outdoor estate furniture benefiting the No Place Like Home Foundation and its cheerleader, Lorraine Bracco, who plays Dr. Melfi on HBO's hit show, "The Sopranos" will take the stage on Saturday at 2 p.m. On Sunday at 2 p.m., the Green Cottage will be auctioned in the HD Communications Theater on the Expo floor. Waldbaum's will be collecting for the Children's Health Foundation throughout the Expo.

A big aspect of this show is the many benefits derived from sitting in on the highly-rated seminar series – all held in the HD Communications Theater on the Expo floor. Our mistress of ceremonies, interior designer, author, columnists and radio talk show host, Natalie Weinstein, keeps the pearls of wisdom flowing Saturday and Sunday. Check our website, www.hhgshow.com and the on-site show program for specific topics, time and speakers.

So it's all here for you, with valuable resources, boundless ideas, rare finds, great bargains, doses of inspiration, requisite fundraisers and photo-opportunities. The entire show is also being taped and made into a one-hour TV-Special by Hamptons TV. So, come celebrate the official opening of the 2007 Hamptons season. On behalf of the exhibitors and sponsors, our 22 media partners, speakers and the hardworking team at the Hamptons Expo Group, I welcome you. Enjoy the Show and do support our exhibitors.

– Rick Friedman, President and Founder of Hamptons Expo Group.

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Schedule of Events

Here is a schedule of special events and fundraisers that will be taking place at the 2007 Hamptons Home and Garden Show.

Special Events

1) Expo hours: Friday, 3-6 p.m., Saturday-Sunday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

2) VIP Tent, presented by *New York Spaces Magazine,* will be open during show hours.

3) The GreenHamptons Pavilion, Outdoor Luxury Living Expo, and the Real Estate Investors Pavilion will be open during show hours.

4) The Sun Shack Education Center and The Green Cottage Demo Learning Center (booths B16/17, 32/33) will be open during show hours.

5) Seminar Program in the HD Communications Theater, Saturday-Sunday, 12-5 p.m.

6) Free Interior Design Consultations, presented by *@ Home Magazine.*

7) Chase Bank presents free financial seminars in the VIP Tent, Saturday 10-2 p.m.

8) Radu Physical Culture presents its famous fitness workouts in the Outdoor Expo, and will be open periodically Saturday-Sunday. Prizes will be available.

9) Free back massage, FIJI Water, and other giveaways.

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10) Raffle of a room & board with $500 gift certificate.

11) Free publications on the Info Table.

12) Lunch in the Moroccan Caféé and drinks in the beer garden, hosted by Southampton Ales and Lagers.

13) The Hamptons.com Internet Lounge (booths 132/133, 163/164) presents free coffee and other treats.

14) For the trade, Natural Stone Veneers presents The B2B Networking Party, hosted by Chase, Saturday 3-5 p.m. in the VIP tent.

15) Mark Borghi Fine Arts presents a Robert Dash exhibition during show hours.

Fundraisers

1) Estate Furniture Silent Auction benefiting The No Place Like Home Foundation, hosted by actress Lorraine Bracco. Ms. Bracco will sign copies of her autobiography, *On the Couch*, and cases of her wine from Bracco Winery. She will also auction off a case of Magnum, her best 2005 wine, signed by the cast of *The Sopranos*. The auction is sponsored by *Distinction Magazine* and will be held on Saturday 2-3 p.m. Silent auction runs during show hours.

2) The Press Newspaper Group presents The Green Cottage auction, hosted by Wells Fargo. The auction will benefit The Children's Foundation of Suffolk, and will be held Sunday, 2 p.m.

3) Waldbaums (booth 16, at the entrance of the Indoor Expo) collects for the Children's Health Fund during show hours and will showcase their Medical Mobile Unit RV.

Speaker Program

Benefit from this two day line-up of half-hour sessions, all held in the HD Communications Theater in the indoor Expo. Seminars are instructional and fast-paced. You'll learn directly from leading experts. Join Conference Chair and Theater Host Natalie Weinstein

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Landscape Design

Creating an unforgettable first impression is the first step toward increasing a home's value. A study conducted by the American Nursery and Landscape Association found that the perceived value of a home increased up to eleven percent when it featured a more than minimalist landscape design. Fortunately, homeowners don't need a green thumb or a big bank account to create a lush oasis out of an ordinary landscape.

The easiest contribution a homeowner can make to their home's landscape is simple maintenance. Keeping the lawn mowed and raked, weeding flower beds and regularly trimming and pruning trees creates an overall tidy impression. Be sure to keep trees from hanging over the roof or obstructing the view of the house from the road. Even though an old tree may have sentimental value, it may have a significant impact on the perception of the property. Also, it's a good idea to keep gardening equipment, hoses and toys stowed away when not in use.

Fertilizing and seeding your lawn will lay the foundation for a luxurious landscape. A combination of Kentucky bluegrass and ryegrass stand up well to both variable weather conditions and foot traffic. For areas of the yard with unfriendly grass conditions, like between snaking tree roots, consider a vibrant patch of ground cover perennials. All-purpose garden soil can be filled in amongst the tree roots and planted with low-lying perennials such as blue bell, lilyturf and trillium, which flourish under partial tree shade. Ground cover perennials such as spurge, plumbago and plantain lilies can also create visually appealing continuity beneath a row of gnarly-stemmed shrubs. Be sure to choose a color palette that complements existing foliage.

The austerity of a large expanse of lawn can be broken up with clusters of flowering shrubs like rhododendrons and hydrangea, which come in an array of colors. In contrast, take advantage of an uneven lawnscape by using small hills as a showcase for colorful annuals like daffodils and tulips. Compensate for their beautiful, but short-lived, blooming season by sharing the space with perennial impatients and chrysanthemums, which can flower far into fall if the first blooms are routinely deadheaded before they die.

A large yard can also attain more warmth and charm with some well-chosen hardscaping. Inclines and clusters can be further divided from the rest of the yard with a decorative border of stacked stone. A meandering brick or stone path leading to the entryway can turn a severe façade into a homey and inviting one. Hardscaping can be an attractive, natural alternative to artificial fencing materials in creating borders and privacy between properties. The organic origins of stone and masonry hardscaping are particularly effective in harmonizing the unruliness of nature with the orderliness of a wall or walkway.

A porch is a charming accent that ties together the home and landscape. Keep a porch looking new by pressure washing and staining it after the winter months. Some homeowners are reluctant to strip and stain with chemicals, but the harsh, toxic wood treatments of yesteryear have been replaced by a new generation of oxygen based stains that pose no threat to your family, foliage or wildlife. A well-maintained porch can add up to fifteen percent of the home's value.

Frame the porch or entryway with large potted shrubs and flowers. Geraniums and begonias grow particularly well in containers. Even easy-growing creepers like ivy, jasmine and passion flowers can be trained into potted submission with a topiary frame, which can add stunning formality to a modest home. Although terracotta planters are classic, consider using alternative containers such as copper washtubs, watering cans and wagons for added depth and texture. These items can be spray painted or distressed to match the style of the home.

Nightscaping with accent lights can be the final and most dramatic way to enhance a home's landscape features. Lighting can make an entryway into an impressive focal point after dusk. This can be achieved with a combination of pendant and house-mounted accent lights, which would also create ample light for safety and security purposes. Uplighting, or nestling spotlights beneath trees and large shrubs, can accent

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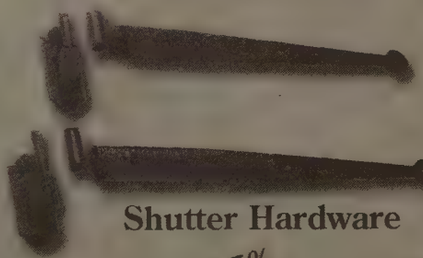

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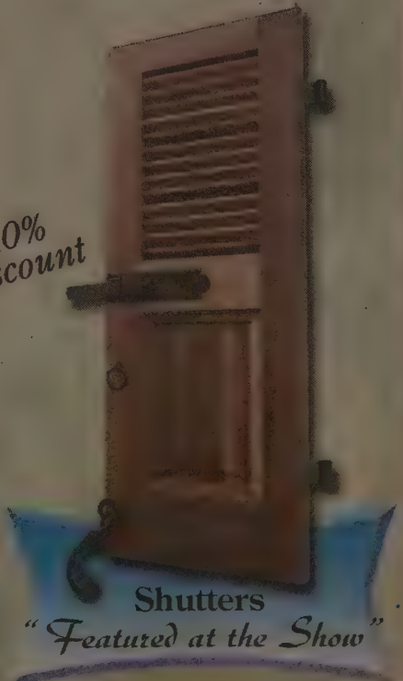

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Expanding Your Art Collection

Investing in art may be the most confusing thing in the world. A man who splatters paint on an oversized canvas? Adults who draw with crayons? Or cut shapes out of cardboard? To the average person, purchasing pieces like these do not make sense. And if that's the case, then they shouldn't.

The first rule of collecting art is to buy something you like. There is no reason to spend tens of thousands of dollars on something that will be kept in storage because you cannot bear to look at it or, even worse, shutter every time you gaze at the wall. It is possible to find something in the same price range that meets your ascetic.

If the inheritance has just kicked in and you've decided to invest the money in art, but haven't a clue where to start, or don't have any notion of what you like, start with the basics. Visit museums and galleries, pick up some art anthologies, or attend an art history class. The knowledge you have when beginning a collection will be reflected in the actual collection.

Mark Borghi of Borghi Fine Arts in Bridgehampton and Manhattan has some great advice about starting a collection. Know what you want. Know who you are buying from, and when you find a dealer whom you respect and trust, stick with them. They can help you continue establishing your collection. Buy American. "American paintings have great upswing," Borghi says. His other recommendation is to stay away from auctions. The auction market is insane right now. Blue Chip artists are out of most people's range, but even lesser known artists are selling at prices that exceed their quality. Therefore, most dealers have shied away from purchasing art at auctions and so should you. This goes especially for Contemporary artists who are experiencing inflated values on their work, who may not hold their value.

Work by Robert Dash

If the inheritance didn't just kick in, this doesn't mean you have to wait until you've got a million in the bank to start buying art. Start like many artists have, with works on paper. Some great pieces are available in the $10,000-$15,000 range, and for a little more, de Kooning's works on paper start around $40,000. It may seem like a lot of money, but when you factor in that a select few of his paintings sold for $10.6 million at auction, it's a drop in the bucket.

According to Borghi, the trick is to buy the best your money can buy. If you've got $5000, spend $5000, If you've got $1 million, buy a million dollar painting. But don't speculate. It isn't worth it. You may think you are discovering the next great undiscovered artist, but you probably aren't. If you like the work and don't mind spending the money, then fine. But if it doesn't appreciate, don't get mad. To ensure that art will increase in value, only buy known artists.

There are a few fallacies to keep in mind. The first is that bigger is always better. Yes, some oversized paintings sell for millions upon millions, but they are also quality pieces. As with anything, quality is key. The second thing to remember is that dead artists don't equal big bucks. According to Mr. Borghi, speculating on the death of an artist and purchasing their work while alive, does not guarantee a fortune once they pass away. The reason that so many works by dead artists are so valu-

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Protect Your Garden From Deer

Each year on the East End, more and more homes are using only ornamental grass for their gardens. This may be due to the homeowner's love of grass, but it is most likely a result of homeowners who have just thrown up their hands year after year in exasperation over deer-decimated gardens.

Many homeowners give up after realizing that deer have feasted on everything in their garden, from flowering plants, hostas, standard arborvitae and yew, which are the staples of their diet.

A deer-resistant garden does not have to as bland as one might think. With a bit of time, research and careful planning, a garden can be well-designed, colorful and deer-resistant. A homeowner does not have to surround the property by erecting a twenty-foot high fence, because the goal is make your garden "deer-resistant." And since the deer density for the Town of East Hampton is 51 per square mile, nothing is completely deer-proof.

There are many old wives' tale remedies floating around, such as placing human hair in a stocking, hanging mirrors and foil or spraying cayenne pepper over the ground, but you could also try a more logical route. The best place to start is with a complete service landscaper or favorite local nursery. Resources and experience have given them a wealth of knowledge. They know what plants are favorite snacks for deer and a good number of plants that they don't eat. They can work with you to develop a wonderful plan for a garden.

If the homeowner prefers to be more hands-on with the gardening, there are several fantastic resources available online. Both the Cornell Cooperative Extension and Rutgers University have lists of landscape plants rated by deer resistance, which are specifically relevant to our region and environment.

In addition to the wide variety of ornamental grasses, there are many trees, shrubs, perennials and annuals available, which will safely add color and depth to any garden. Taking into account the soil and sunlight, along with water availability, one can create an amazing area and keep Bambi at bay.

It seems that highly aromatic plants deter deer, as do those that just taste bad to them. They are creatures of habit and experience, so they stay away from plants that have bothered them in the past. Anise, Aster, Daisies, Lemon Balm, Lily of the Valley, Irises, Ornamental Onion, Russian Sage and even Peonies fall into these categories.

Say goodbye to deer and hello to butterflies with a colorful Buddleia, commonly know as a Butterfly Bush. They are now available in a wide variety of colorful blooms. Even the beloved Hydrangea, a symbol of summer, and although not on the lists mentioned above, is deer resistant and readily obtainable in so many different varieties. Look at Cranesbill, Coreopsis and Campanula for instant color. How about Winter Gem Boxwoods and Japanese Barberry? These are two shrubs that will add color and depth to a low hedge or garden backdrop against a building or structure.

If there is a plant that you simply adore and must have in your garden, there are several ways to accomplish this. Erect some tall deer fencing around your property or garden and plant it in the midst of plants that deer do not like. This creates an aromatic or taste-camouflaged barrier. Also, purchasing a spray-on deer repellant will increase the chance of keeping those plants from being eaten. There are several repellants on the market, including Deer Stopper, which is all-organic and actually smells good. Deer Out is a natural product as well as

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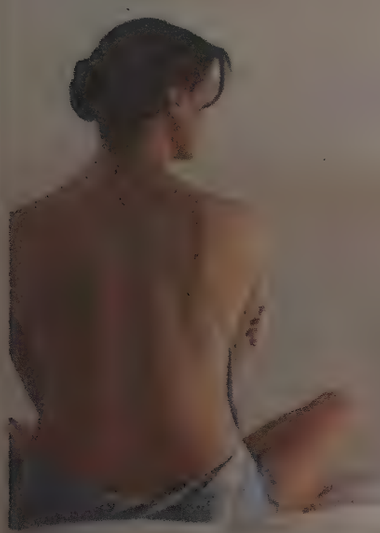

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The Green Cottage

"It's not easy being green," the frog philosopher Kermit once said. A fairly pessimistic view, I feel. This season being green seems far from difficult. In fact, it seems to be all the rage. Thinking green. Building green. Green energy. Green materials. Green activism by green conscious celebrities. Green is in this spring, and what a better time than when the world itself is finally turning green after a long, grey winter?

The Hamptons Home and Garden Show is certainly in on this green trend. This is perhaps best illustrated by the show's inclusion of the Green Cottage. The Green Cottage is one of the highlights of this season's expo and is part of the eco-friendly component that this year's show carries with it. Of course being eco-friendly, in regard to homes and buildings, often entails the use of another word that frequently appears around the word "green," especially in relation to green architecture. That word is sustainability. Sustainability is a term with wide sweeping meaning that is regularly associated with environmentally sound projects. Generally speaking, sustainability can be read as the ability to prolong or to keep a being healthy. Here, the being that needs to be kept healthy and prolonged is the planet. Sustainable architecture, also known as green architecture, is interested in sustaining the environment by minimizing any damage to it, and in sustaining the building itself by powering it with sustainable, or self-renewing energy.

The Green Cottage strives to be an example of such sustainable architecture. It serves not only to applaud green design, but also demonstrates how green construction can be both realistic and of high quality. In fact, the quality of the materials used in the cottage is held at great importance, along with their durability. The idea is that the stronger the materials are, the less tampering will have to be done with them, and as a result, with the surrounding environment as well.

Many of these materials are also recycled or are recyclable. For example, the roofing is made of synthetic slate that has been composed from recycled plastic and rubber. The windows use recycled vinyl for their non-structural parts. Even the pergola, or trestle garden archway for growing vines, is made of reclaimed timbers; a literally "green pergola" covered in greens.

Other components of the Cottage involve efficiency and serve to minimize energy needs. The

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The Garden At Rock Cottage *by Lance Brilliantine*

Bloom Time

Daffodils are blooming on the East End – a welcome site after winter. Thankfully, deer and squirrels do not forage them, so they remain intact, unlike my crocuses and tulips. Because they are one of the easier bulbs to grow, they are an excellent choice to herald spring in an East End garden.

Because daffodils are so desirable, and the bulbs are planted in fall, it is important to mark where bulbs are planted at this time of year if you intend to add more bulbs this coming fall. Simply push a small piece of a paint-stirring stick where the bulbs reside so you can identify the location of bulbs this fall.

Daffodils are availible in early, mid-season, and late blooming varieties, and naturalize easily. They produce some of the best and longest displays in mass plantings where multiple varieties are planted together. The bulbs work best in locations where the residual foliage can mature and on its own. Cropped or cut foliage does not re-vitalize the bulbs and reduces blooms the following season.

All daffodils are in a classification of plants known as *Lilliopsida,* family named *Liliaceae,* and genus known as *Narcissus*. All Narcissi are not classified as daffodils, however. Those known as "jonquils," the word means "flower" in Spanish, are included. Daffodils and jonquils signify chivalry and respect. It is also the national flower of Wales.

Daffodils have an enchanting fragrance. Some people, like deer and squirrels, are quite allergic to the sap produced when the stalks are cut. The sap contains calcium oxalate that is an allergen.

Daffodils are typically large-flowered and come in yellow, white, orange, pink, lime-green and combinations thereof. The newer hybrids may offer shades of red, pink and brown. The traditional yellow daffodil is stunning on its own, but breeders have developed varieties with multiple colors and double or triple rows of petals, and frilled or reticulated petals with either elongated or compressed central trumpets.

The central trumpet of a daffodil is called its "corona," which is surrounded by petals. Daffodils are classified by the length and shape of the corona. There are thirteen divisions that include those with trumpets that are long or short-cupped; triandrus, with more than one flower per stem; cyclamineus, with straight and narrow coronas; jonquilla, with multiple flower heads per stem; tazetta, with small, short-cupped flowers; poeticus, with stained petals and coronas edged in red; bulbocodium hybrids, where the flowers resemble a "hooped petticoat"; and split corona, where the corona is split. There is also a classification that includes other cultivates not falling into the mentioned categories, and of course, the wild forms.

Daffodils grow best in locations that are well-drained and sunny. Hillsides, slopes, and raised beds are ideal since drainage is important. Soil needs to be cultivated to a depth of about 10-inches deep. In clay and sand, amend the soil with well-rotted compost, soil additives, or peat moss. Daffodils grow best in slightly acidic soil, which are found on the East End of Long Island.

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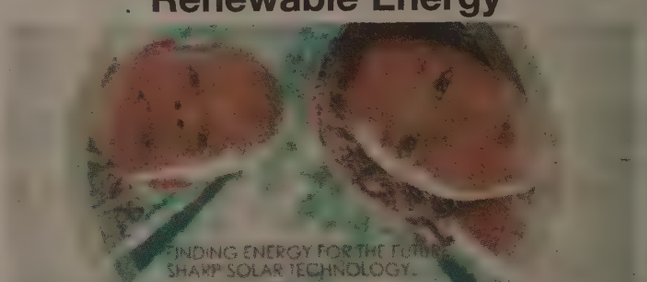

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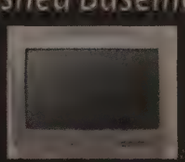

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Liquid Fence. Although one may last longer than another, no product is continuously effective. They all must be reapplied on an ongoing basis to offer protection. Any one of these procedures, including selective planting, would need to be carefully monitored in order to work well. Remember what works in one area may not work in another.

With the combination of the current deer overpopulation and ongoing land development in this area, the situation we face with many hungry deer will not dissapear anytime soon. Instead of being exasperated by the situation, we can take some time to plan and develop beautiful gardens. Afterall, it's a wonderful Hamptons tradition.

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able is that they have proven their resonance with generation after generation. Collecting art isn't exactly like collecting antiques. Age doesn't play as much a factor in price. It is the track record that really counts. To find that out, many pieces have auction records, which will explain how their prices have appreciated over the years. This can give you information about an exact piece or a general idea of the value of an individual artist.

Although buying contemporary art is sometimes unpredictable, Mr. Borghi only represents 3 living artists, which makes up about 5% of his total inventory. One artist is Robert Dash, whom he will be featuring at the Hamptons Home and Garden Show.

By following these tips and keeping tabs on the art world, you can really make an investments grow and maybe make your house dazzle too.

– Christian McLean

Not only will Mark Borghi have an entire booth at the Hamptons Home and Garden Show, but he has galleries in Bridgehampton, Manhattan and Los Angeles. Visit www.borghi.org for more information.

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building shell, for example, is made of Expanded Polystyrene panels, which offer a highly effective insulated thermal barrier from the weather outside. This can cut down on energy for heating, and the cost of it too. There is also a heat-recovery-ventilation system. This supplies the house with fresh air at low energy levels. The cottage also boats a net metering photovoltaic generating system that powers the house electrically speaking.

These various components of the Cottage were installed thanks to the efforts and services of over a dozen contractors, builders and construction and housing suppliers. At the helm was architect, Anthony J. Musso, of Cold Spring Harbor. Rick Freidman, President and Founder of the Hamptons Home and Garden Show, describes the Green Cottage as "the brainchild of Mr. Musso."

The Cottage is presented by the aptly named Building Sustainable Solutions. The team provides the services it takes to go from the design of a green cottage to its front door. This includes the steps from design to construction, the incorporation of renewable products and the use of energy efficient power systems. The team's services span from indoor architecture to outside the building with eco-friendly landscape design, or "green greenery." The group can also green-up existing buildings, from commercial or residential, by renovating them to be more sustainable.

The Hamptons Home and Garden Show has other eco-friendly items and services to show off this season, as will be displayed in their GreenHampton Pavilion. So, jump on the bandwagon and be green this spring. After all, everybody's doing it. And as you get green, make getting a peek at the Green Cottage first on your list; you'll want to check it out before it is auctioned off at the expo.

– Renée R. Donlon

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20 Reasons Why You Need To Come To The Show

Why, you might ask, should I go to the Hamptons Home and Garden Show? If you are not fortunate enough to have a neighbor with a perfect home and garden that looks exactly how you want your home and garden to look or share his or her Rolodex of top suppliers with you, here is your chance to connect with scores of companies that will help you build your dream. Still not convinced? Here's a list of twenty reasons why you absolutely cannot miss this year's Hamptons Home and Garden Show.

1. You've had it with waiting for service providers that just don't show up – or turn up when you are not around. You really want to meet businesses that will hustle for your account.

2. You just can't go down to the "Green Energy Store" to select your solar products. At this event, you can compare 3-4 solar panel installers in a couple of hours.

3. As the popular TV ad proclaims, "When banks compete for your business, you win." Several banks and financial institutions seeking your patronage will be at the show and you can get even get an on-the-spot loan in ten minutes from Chase Bank, no hassles.

4. You can't meet service suppliers face-to-face, discuss your project, evaluate their workmanship and quality and see if you like them in an hour, unless you're at the Hamptons Home and Garden show.

5. You want to take advantage of the free interior design consulting with some top ASID members – no strings attached.

6. You can accelerate your remodeling, redesign and landscaping projects by months, just by strolling the Show.

Lorraine Bracco

7. The Hamptons Home and Garden Show is the only place to find a wide selection of custom-made furniture, meet the designers and shop for art, garden antiques and appliances all in one place.

8. You've had it with your soaring oil bills and LIPA statement, and you want to explore your options so you can lower them – fast.

9. Because you want to be cool and hang out in the VIP tent – remember Bridgehampton Polo?

10. Because you want to come to the silent auction of estate furniture, bid on all 50 lots and redo your home for $2k.

11. You want to ask Lorraine Bracco how "The Sopranos" ends – or book a private session with Dr. Melfi.

12. You've had it with the deer-in-the-garden problem and you want to find someone to come take care of it for you.

13. You want to see how one of those "green" houses really works.

14. It's fun to browse 275 interesting displays, have all weekend to do it leisurely and get a free massage and FIJI water to boot.

15. You can get a great deal from Sleepys on the bed of your choice

16. You can discover how to enhance your home – indoors and out – with marble and stone while meeting the talented masons and designers that make it happen.

17. You just can't go to a landscaping store and meet ten different landscaping designers at one time, but you can at the Home and Garden Show.

18. You want to check with NYS Comptrollers Office for Unclaimed Funds, who may be holding your money. Last year, 190 visitors discovered the State had some of their dough and reclaimed it then and there.

19. Because there is just nothing else to do that weekend that is as exciting, adventurous, compelling or time-saving than the Hamptons Home & Garden Show.

20. You can't wait 'till the show ends at 5 p.m. on Sunday so you can go around and buy everything that hasn't sold at a huge discount.

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– Rick Friedman, President and Founder of Hamptons Expo Group.

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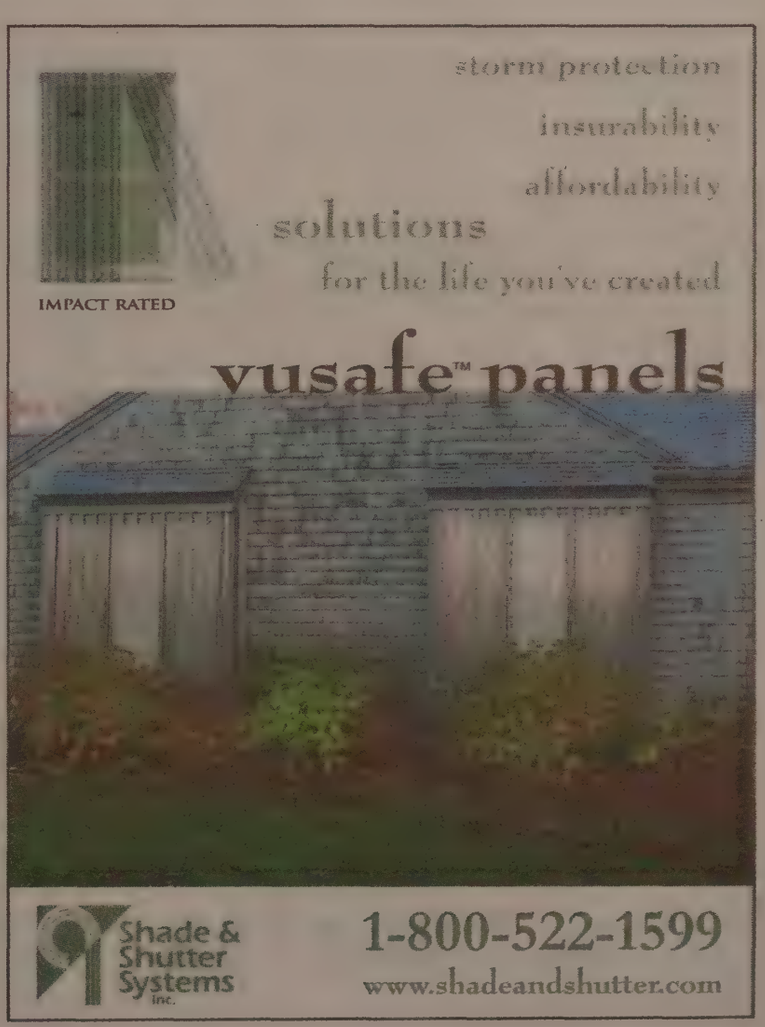

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Piano: The Making of a Steinway Concert Grand

James Barron imbues his documentary *Piano: The Making of a Steinway Concert Grand* with a nostalgia for the early success of Steinway & Sons without becoming sentimental; it is as much a tribute to the company's legacy as it is an honest picture of Steinway's commitment to perfection today. Steinway's longstanding reputation for superior quality is no accident. When the temptation to sell-out the Steinway label was high, front man Henry Ziegler resisted and instead became even more focused on producing a superior piano. A huge part of the company's success lies in its commitment to one product as opposed to its commercial possibilities.

Many of Steinway's competitors turned to machinery in the wake of the Industrial boom of the mid 20th century, but the traditional family run business retained its process of construction first begun in 1857. Arcane though it may seem, the "anti-manufacturing" (another way of saying manual labor), contributes to much of the piano's personality. Personality? Yes, and much more. Steinway's concert grands can be anything from temperamental to sweet, too bright (indicating a pang-y treble clef) to just spicy enough. K0862, the identity given to the concert grand Barron observed during its construction, received a slew of similar reviews in the early part of its life. Many likened it to some sort of blossom not yet brought to fruition, or a wine that improves with age. Speaking of the instrument in organic terms is indicative of the intimate connection between piano and player. Perhaps all the human energy poured into that one instrument

gives it a vivacity that's simply inimitable, especially not by machines. Sure, a fine product can be mass-produced, but a truly great one with individuality broken down in terms of human and plant-like characteristics? Ha, only through tender love and care.

K0862 begins with thin slabs of maple glued together and bent into shape, not by pure brute force, but through a kind of tender beckoning and a manipulation with extreme attention to detail. The 16-minute rim-bending process is intense. The glue sets after only 20 minutes, so it's essential to get the job done efficiently but without rushing. Time is really of the essence here. Lots of care is taken so that the wood does not "misbehave," that is, so that it doesn't warp or snap. The rim sits in a room for two full months before it is touched again so that every droplet of moisture evaporates. Next it is sponged with linseed oil and sprayed with lacquer five times over five months. No bubbles or icky splotches here, certainly not. Aesthetics are a huge part of Steinway's majesty, not just its acoustic triumph.

Wood technician, Albrecht, travels to lumber yards as far as Vancouver to find the perfect spruce for the sounding board, arguably the most important wood element of the piano. Albrecht detects minute imperfections that are undetectable to the untrained eye, and the expensive material is sifted through until just the right piece is found. The sounding board must also be bone dry, thus it waits patiently until it is "bellied," or glued onto the rim, a hugely demanding job of angling so the right curve is made.

Once the "dentures" (keys) are inserted into the rim, tone regulator Bruce Campbell has a look at it. This job goes to the "aristocrats of the factory," and particular attention is paid to model Ds, partly because they are what gave Steinway its name and partly because they demand the most attention because of their large size. Campbell describes his job as being the guy who "hear[s] things in a piano that other people don't hear." Having a heightened perception of what will and won't cut it seems to be a requirement for any job at the factory, and meticulousness is a must. He finds the weight of depression for all 88 keys and explains how the tiniest difference makes a huge impact on the playability of the piano. He adjusts every key so it is exactly the

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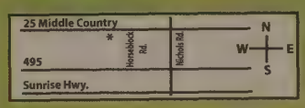

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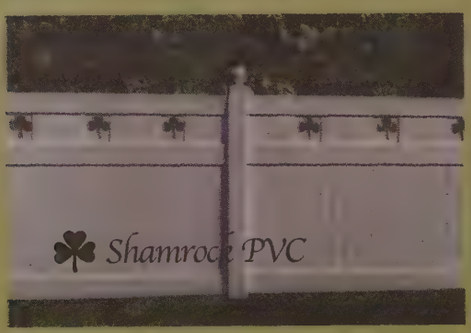

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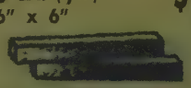

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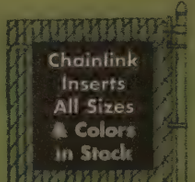

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Deadhead the plants once the flowers fade to remove developing seeds and to conserve the bulb's energy to produce the next year's crop of flowers. Daffodils make their next year's blooms after flowering, so it is important to leave the foliage to invigorate the bulb and spark flower generation. Never cut the foliage until it begins to yellow, which usually happens in mid-June.

Daffodils bloom successfully for three-to-five years without disturbance. Then the bulbs need to be divided and replanted at an appropriate level since they tend to sink over time. If you have bulbs that are not blooming, they probably need to be divided or moved to a new location.

Daffodils need a good deal of water to grow successfully. Keep the bulbs well watered until about three weeks after they finish blooming. Then, stop watering and let nature "do its thing." Remember to purchase top-quality bulbs and plant them so the tops (pointed end) are about two times as deep as the height of the bulb. If planting bulbs in sandy soil, plant them slightly deeper than in humus. Avoid using bone meal when planting, as it attracts foraging animals.

While fall is some time away, it is not too early to start thinking about next spring. Mark existing daffodil locations, and be on the lookout for new hybrids as the season progresses.

You can contact Lance Brilliantine with any questions or comments at GardenLance@yahoo.com.

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same, except for the minuscule dipping on the far ends of the keyboard. The area around middle C should be slightly elevated.

A charming part of K0862's life is the culprit of the "metallic tone," so troublesome to tuners and regulators alike. One might think a screw rolling around the base of the soundboard would be audible in transit from one station to the next, but this teensy piece of metal was thoroughly discrete and managed to hide itself from puzzled overseers and technicians. Finally, after every imaginable imperfection has been rendered obsolete on the instrument, it's time to go "fishing." An errant screw lost months before rolls into view lured by a magnetized shim.

After K0862 changes identity to CD-60, its concert identity, the factory's prerogative to make it an astounding musical instrument shifts onto the musician. It is no longer going to be endlessly scrutinized for possible malfunctions, built and rebuilt to ensure perfection, no, now it is on its own to evolve into the "instrument of the immortals."

– Lily Betjeman

Come see these beautiful creations at the Hamptons Home and Garden Show May 4th-6th.

Landscape (continued from page 7)

splayed and flowering branches, while downlighting installations can show off decorative hardscaping and blooming plants. Individual lights and lanterns can be placed along paths or in shrub clusters for added illumination. Today's outdoor lighting not only comes in numerous styles to maintain the integrity of every period and home design, but in low-voltage, energy efficient options.

Any landscape improvement will increase the value of your home, and when the time comes to sell, you are likely to double the landscaping investment. With real estate agencies and organizations featuring photographs of their listings online, the exterior appearance of a home is more important than ever. Even buyers who are not scouting out homes online are likely to drive by a listing before determining whether or not they want to make an appointment to investigate further. Begin by making a few simple changes this spring to ensure that your home is not only more becoming, but more valuable.

– Stacey DeFelice

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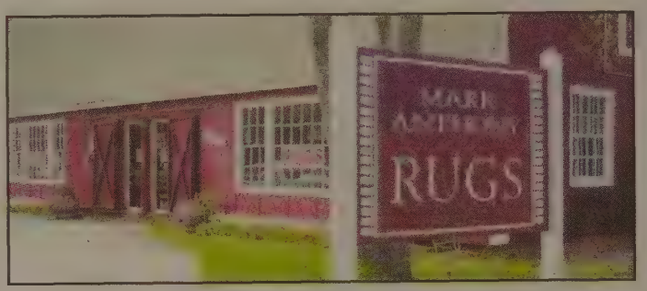

The beauty of a finely made rug can be seen instantly, but the stunning brilliance comes by looking closer. While machine-made rugs are fine for some, the discerning homeowner (or even home-renter) knows how a handmade rug can work magic in a room. Those that do, go to one place – Marc Anthony Rugs. This isn't your normal rug store. It is about as close to 1-800-Carpets as The Palm is to McDonalds. For 32 years, Marc has been dealing in prime rugs. Three years ago, he made his Bridgehampton showroom the base of his operation. With thousands of rugs in all sizes, shapes, colors and patterns, the three-floor showroom has something for everyone and every budget. If it's not in the store, Mr. Anthony can find it or he can have it made.

People always have an idea of what they want when it comes to decorating their floor, but like many pieces of furniture, your rugs are reflective of the style of your house. Modern homes usually demand modern rug patterns, while traditional homes call for traditional styles. This is only a guideline, of course, and proper traditional rugs can make an amazing impact in sparse, modern homes. But inside these two styles, there are many sub-styles, which come in and out of fashion. Today, the most popular traditional pieces are Turkish Peshawar Ushak and Persian Heriz rugs. There has been a movement away from floral rug patterns toward more geometric designs, which is why these two styles work well. Within all traditional patterns, there are three other categories that come into play – antique (100-150-years-old), semi-antique (40-90-years-old) and new. Besides age and rarity, what makes antique rugs coveted is their craftsmanship. The threads are handspun, which give a less uniform look to the rug's weaving. In other words, the thread is slightly thicker in some areas and thinner in others. The other is the "brush." Due to using several batches of dye, hand-dyed thread in antique rugs varies in color. Though this seems to be a flaw to the novice, to those who know, it is a wonderful accent on any rug. When I asked Marc Anthony how to tell if a rug is an antique or not, he simply said, "the eye knows."

Finding the correct rug is sometimes difficult and many factors come into play. While Marc Anthony Rugs carries almost exclusively wool and wool/silk rugs, he can custom order anything, from bamboo to paper mats. With the vast, open floor plans in 10,000-square-foot spec houses, finding the proper rug can make all the difference between creating an intimate area, dividing the space and establishing focal points in a room. A well thought-out rug will do more to pull a room together than any carpeting. It allows the floors (whether they be wood or tile) to be exposed, while complementing colors and patterns found throughout the room. Even wall-to-wall rugs are wonderful because, instead of carpets, which are left in the house when you move, rugs can be taken up and brought with you wherever you go.

For your home, settling on a rug that doesn't fit perfectly is no longer an option. Through Marc Anthony Rugs you can make appointments for house visits. No longer do you have to imagine what a rug will look like in your living room, because they will bring several rugs to your home so you can test them out. If none of them do the trick, they will work with leading weavers across the globe to custom make the rug you want, in any size, shape, and colors.

To tie the room together, create a focal piece or even just to provide some protection from cold floors, rugs are an ideal way to express yourself and your aesthetic – not by pictures hanging on the wall or sculptures on pedestals, but simply by placing beauty right at your feet.

– Christian McLean

At the Hamptons Home and Garden Show, Mark Anthony will be displaying several antique rugs ranging from $50,000 to $100,000. While these may be out of they price range of many, the will also have other rugs running in the low thousands that will not destroy your budget.

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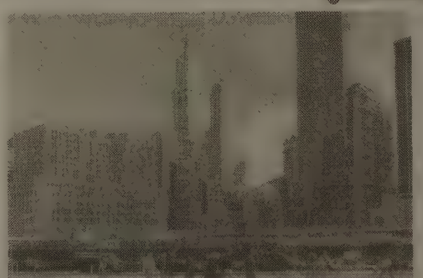

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as she keeps the info flowing onstage. Natalie has over 30 years experience as an interior decorator, is a radio talk show host for WALK Radio, columnist, book author and founder of the online resources guide, www.natlaiesclub.com.

Saturday Seminars

12-12:30 p.m.– Protecting Your Garden From Deer
Panel discussion with Lion Landscaping and Nature Technologies

12:30-1 p.m.– Reviewing Your Roofing Options
Karl Luechay, GAF Materials

1-1:30 p.m. –Tips on Reducing Your LIPA Bill
Paul Smith, John Tortorella, and Sun Stream USA

2-3 p.m.– Meet actress Lorraine Bracco
Silent action for The No Place Like Home Foundation

3-3:30 p.m. – The Psychology of Color
Belle Smith, Benjamin Moore Paints

3:30-4 p.m.– Using Visualization in Home Déécor
Janet Hanks, V2KWindow Déécor

4-4:30 p.m. –What You Didn't Know About Modular Homes
Jim Gherardi, Sound Builders, Inc./Hamptons At Home Services

4:30-5 p.m.– Advice on Shopping for Solar Energy Systems
Gary Minnick, Go Solar

Sunday Seminars

12-12:30 p.m.– Matching your Landscape with Your Home's Architecture
Jeff Owen, Janis Leonti, Owen Bros. Landscape Design

12:30-1 p.m.– Using the Right Stone in the Right Place; Inside and Outside
Robert Ripley, Carved Stone Creations

1-1:30 p.m.– Saving Money with Solar Electric
Steve Ballis, Sun Power Systems

1:30-2 p.m.–The Cost/Benefit to Solar Water Heating
Dean Hapshe, Majestic Sun

2-3 p.m. – Auction of The Green Cottage
To Benefit The Children's Foundation of Suffolk, hosted by Anthony Musso

3-3:30 p.m.–The Wind Energy Primer
Roy Rakovitsch

3:30-4 p.m.–Tips for Reducing Your Homeowner's Inheritance Tax
Dee Slavutin, Stern-Slavutin-2

4-4:30 p.m. –Decorating Your Second Home on $30k
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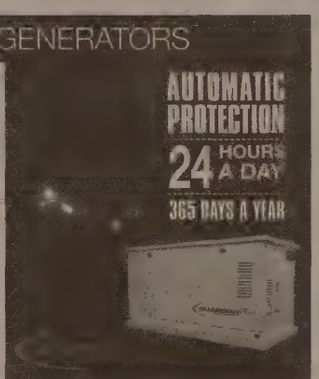

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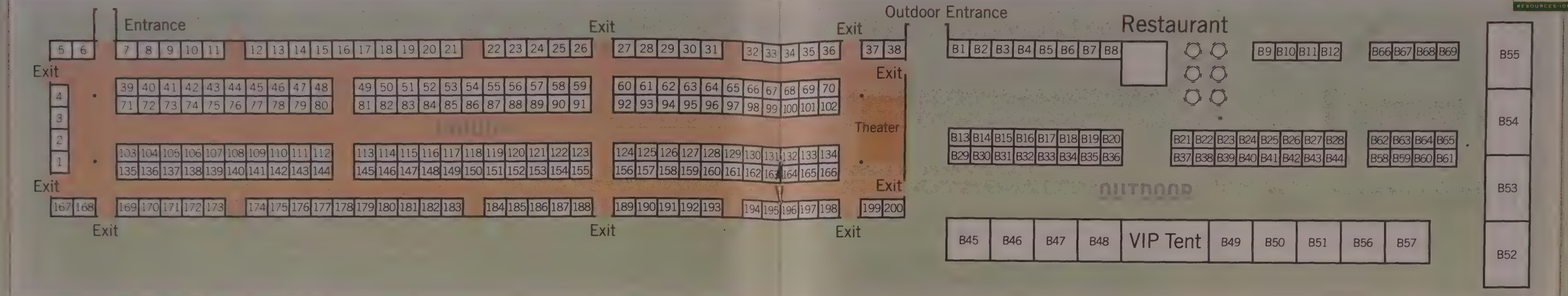

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THE MOST USEFUL EVENT OF THE SPRING - LISTING OF EVENTS

1) Expo hours---Friday, 3-6pm, Sat and Sun., 10am-5pm
2) VIP Tent, presented by New York Spaces Magazine—open during show hours
3) The GreenHamptons Pavilion, Outdoor Luxury Living Expo, the Real Estate Investors Pavilion—open during show hours
4) The Sun Shack Education Center (outside the outdoor expo) and The Green Cottage Demo Learning Center (booths B16/17, 32/33) open during show hours.
5) The Seminar Program in the HD Communications Theater, Sat/Sun, from noon to 5pm
6) Free Interior Design Consultations, presented by @Home Magazine
7) Chase Bank presents free financial seminars in the VIP Tent, Sat. 10-2pm
8) Radu Physical Culture presents its famous fitness workouts—in the outdoor Expo, periodically on Sat/ Sun., win prizes
9) Free Back Massage, FIJI Water, and other giveaways
10) Raffle of a Room & Board $500 gift certificate
11) Free publications on the Info Table
12) Lunch in the Moroccan Café, and drinks in the Beer Garden/hosted by Southampton Ales and Lagers
13) The Hamptons.com Internet Lounge (booths 132/133, 163/164) presents free coffee and other treats
14) For the Trade—Natural Stone Veneers presents The B2B Networking Party, hosted by Chase, Sat. 3-5pm in the VIP tent
15) Mark Borghi Fine Arts presents a Robert Dash exhibition during show hours

Fund-Raisers

16) Estate Furniture Silent Auction benefiting The No Place Like Home Foundation, hosted by actress Lorraine Bracco, sponsored by Distinction Magazine, Sat 2-3. Silent auction runs during show hours. Ms. Bracco will sign both copies her autobiography, "On the Couch", and cases of her wine from Bracco Winery. She will auction off a magnum of her best 2005 wine signed by the entire cast of The Sopranos.
17) The Press Newspaper Group presents The Green Cottage auction, hosted by Wells Fargo, benefiting The Childrens Foundation of Suffolk, Sun, 2pm
18) Waldbaums (booth 16, at the entrance of the Indoor Expo) collects for the Childrens Health Fund during show hours and showcases their Medical Mobile Unit RV

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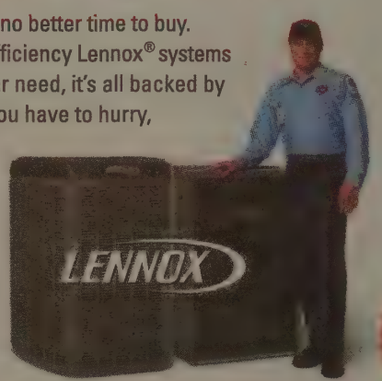

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By attending, you'll be immediately enriched by the useful ideas, practical tips and hard-earned advice that you will receive. From improving home insulation, to evaluating such mundane things as water usage, lighting, landscaping and irrigation, you can come away with the tips that will save you thousands of dollars annually.

It's all here for you. Meet with the local architects who are designing and building energy efficient homes on the East End. Get the lessons learned from savvy solar companies and renewable energy professionals who service the Hamptons. Meander through the 20-plus information-packed displays that may have profound effect on your life forever. Walk into the live Green Solar Energy Demo House (the Solar Shack Education Center) as well as the real life Green Cottage – built by green architect Anthony Musso, which is a small solar building valued at $30,000, and will be auctioned off for a charity on Sunday at 2 p.m. Bring your check book as bidding starts at just $7,000. The auction is presented by the Press Newspaper Group, hosted by Wells Fargo and benefits The Children's Foundation of Suffolk. If not anything else, bidding on The Green Cottage will be your "green" thing to do this year.

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2) How to rate and evaluate the leading makers of solar modules and equipment.

3) How much to expect to spin your meter backwards while living in Water Mill.

4) The expected lifetime for a solar energy system.

5) What percent of this system will be paid for in rebates from LIPA, NYS and Federal taxes and the Town of Southampton.

6) How to qualify for that $2,500 rebate from the Town of Southampton

7) Discover the most experienced and savvy installers of solar systems and the 2-3 guys you must know.

8) What to look for on solar power or solar thermal bids.

9) How much value will be added to a Bridgehampton home by going solar.

10) How a backyard can become the source for heating and cooling a house.

11) The ten little things you can do around the house that will save you $50,000 in energy bills over the next 5 years.

Rick Friedman is the President and Founder of the Hamptons Expo Group For more information about the GreenHamptons Pavilion visit www.hhgshow.com or call 631-283-5505.

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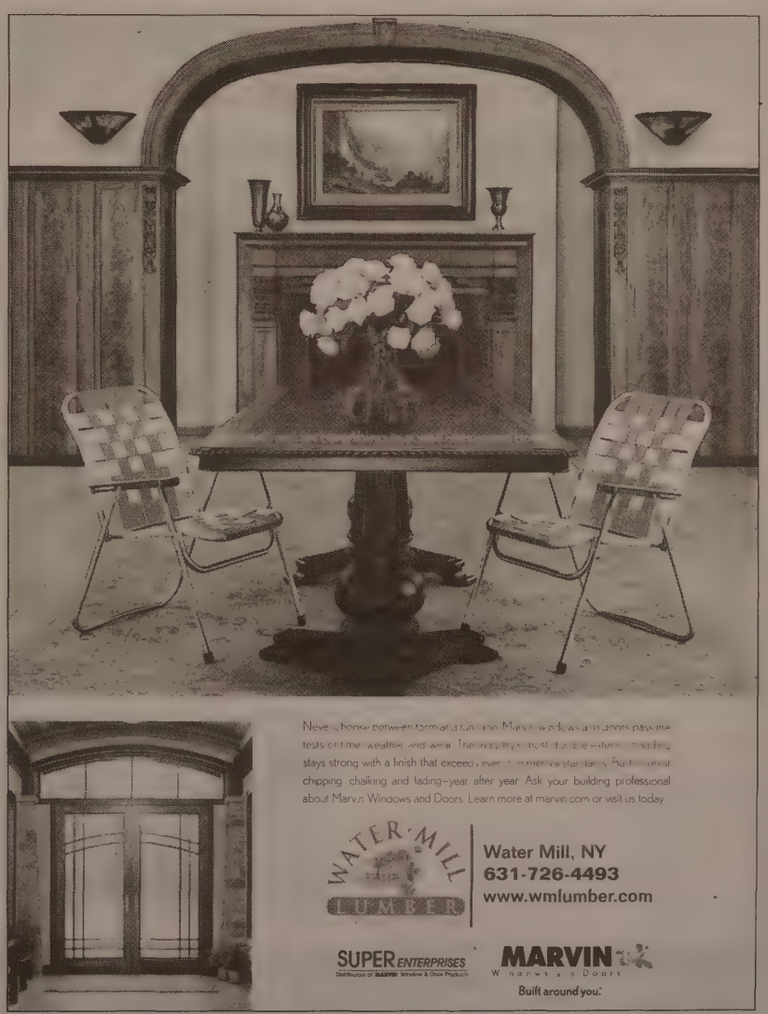
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Solar Power Your Home

The trend of wearing black never seemed to go out of style. Sure, pink became the new black, and even orange had its moment. These days, it seems that "being green" is as popular as black ever was.

Most people want to be thought of as green advocates and they are "thinking green" and thankfully as a result, many others are following their footsteps. Most folks are recycling more, hybrid cars are becoming very fashionable, and many are switching from the traditional incandescent light bulbs to the 77% more efficient compact florescent variety. In fact, it looks as though California will ban the use of the incandescent bulb all together. Considering that all of us here in the USA are responsible for 25% of the world's greenhouse gas emissions, it is safe to say that reducing our dependence on fossil fuels is crucial.

From Corporate America to Small Town America, everyone is beginning to care, and it's a very good sign. There is even a solar initiative that provides for one solar installation in a low-income neighborhood for each array installed on the home of a celebrity. Some towns are taking matters into their own hands. Within the next ten years, Woodstock, NY is planning to become entirely carbon neutral. We are moving in the right direction.

Here on Long Island, there are also bright, encouraging signs for the future. The Town of Southampton is the only township in the state to offer its citizens a $2,500 rebate for having a solar electric system installed. That rebate, when combined with the substantial LIPA rebate plus the state and federal tax credits, can cover 55% of the cost of a solar electric installation. Incidentally, the federal government is considering a serious increase of the federal tax credit. This action will make the purchase of a solar electric system even more affordable for a residential application.

Currently, a solar electric system pays for itself in 8 to 11 years. Homeowners who have solar arrays installed are paying for systems with money that they would have been paying LIPA anyway. Most solar panels are under warranty for 25 years and will continue to produce significant power long beyond the span of its warranty. It is clean, green and economical!

The ultimate goal of a residential solar application is to "zero-out" your LIPA bill. If a homeowner has the desire and available space, he or she can have a system installed that will enable them to bring their yearly LIPA bill down to $0. Even if a homeowner chooses only to meet a portion of their power needs with a solar array, the math still works. The system would still pay for itself in 8 to 11 years, their LIPA bill will shrink significantly and the homeowner will shed a considerable portion of their reliance on fossil fuels. As most people know, we do not just power our cars with fossil fuels; most of our electricity is produced by fossil fuels as well.

So, if a solar installation makes so much sense, then how come there are only a total of 800 grid-tied solar arrays on all of Long Island? Grid-tied simply means that solar energy powers your house by day and LIPA powers the home at night. Ideally, the overproduction by day compensates what is being used at night. It is affordable, efficient and easily financed. As solar energy becomes more popular on Long Island, more homes are being designed in ways that can accommodate solar panels arrays.

There are other areas where solar energy makes sense as well. Municipal buildings, schools and not-for-profit organizations have a higher rebate from LIPA. Commercial applications are also attractive. LIPA offers the same rebate to a commercial entity as it does for a homeowner. The good news is that the 30

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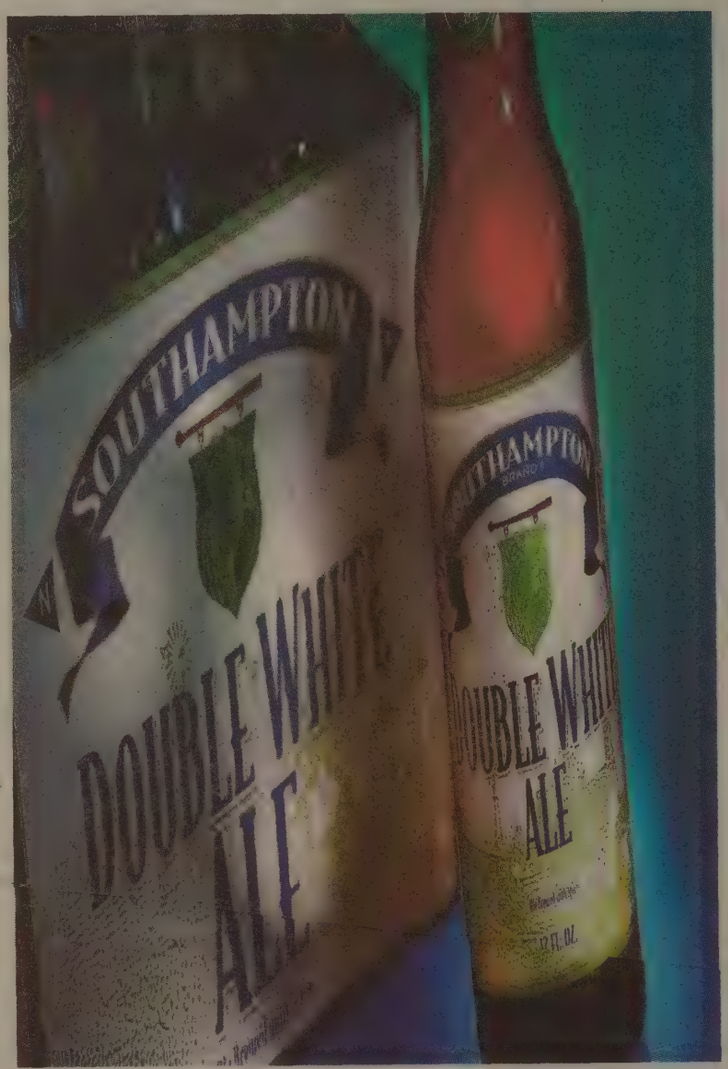

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Finish Your Basement

Hollywood thinks basements are interesting places. There are secrets lurking in a Wisteria Lane basement on "Desperate Housewives," and the basement is where Wayne and Garth partied on. Grandpa Munster had a laboratory down there, and who could forget *The People Under the Stairs*?

Building materials manufacturer Owens Corning thinks basements are interesting too. The company's Basement Finishing System experts recently surveyed homeowners about their basements and some unusual uses included a bowling alley and a gigantic aquarium. Would you believe your neighbor might have his basement decked out as a beach resort, complete with tiki torches, a grass hut bar, waves and sand painted on the floor? Quirkier uses aside, the survey found that the top five ways homeowners in the Northeast use their finished basements are as children's playrooms, game rooms, family rooms, exercise rooms and laundry rooms. Whatever the purpose, the results indicate that basement finishing is trending up, as 60 percent of homeowners with unfinished basements say they are likely to finish their basement in the next five years, with heads, hearts and wallets coming together as they weigh the alternatives.

Old constructed basement finishing was once considered to be a long and messy process. The Owens Corning Basement Finishing System can transform a basement in about two weeks. A previously unusable space can become a media room, office, play room or home gym with minimal disruption and virtually none of the dust or mess associated with traditional drywall construction.

Specifically designed for the basement, the Owens Corning Basement Finishing System not only offers quick and clean installation, but also tackles the challenges presented by the basement environment. With Owens Corning's history as a leader in home building products and experts in building science, the company had the resources and knowledge to create a better finishing solution for basements. A system approach has striking advantages over drywall construction. The process of installing the system of insulated, mold-resistant wall components and a drop ceiling takes about two weeks to complete, versus the typical multi-month process.

The primary reason homeowners say they would finish their basement rather than add on to the house or move to a new house is because they are content. The vast majority, about 72 percent, said they like their house, neighborhood, school districts and don't want to move or change their home's appearance with an addition.

Whether the primary motivator was enhancing their investment or improving their lifestyle, or a combination of both, more than half of homeowners reported they had received more value than they had expected from finishing their basement. More than 90 percent had received as much or more value than expected.

In the Northeast, where fluctuating seasonal temperatures demand contrasting thermostat settings, homeowners are more interested in a system approach because its insulation helps control energy costs. Located coast-to-coast, Owens Corning understands the value that a finished basement can bring to homeowners in any area of the country.

The Owens Corning Basement Finishing System has also been approved by Energy Star and qualifies for up to a $500 tax credit because of its insulation power and the impact it has on reducing energy costs.

Long Islands Alure Home Improvements is the area's authorized franchisee for the Owens Corning Basement Finishing System and has been finishing basements since 1997 in Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester and the surrounding areas.

Owens Corning utilized its expertise to design a product that addresses the many challenges presented by the basement environment. For example, the Basement Finishing System's insulated fiberglass walls won't trap moisture, meaning they're mold and mildew-resistant. The insulated walls also help to make cold basement rooms warm and quiet. Because

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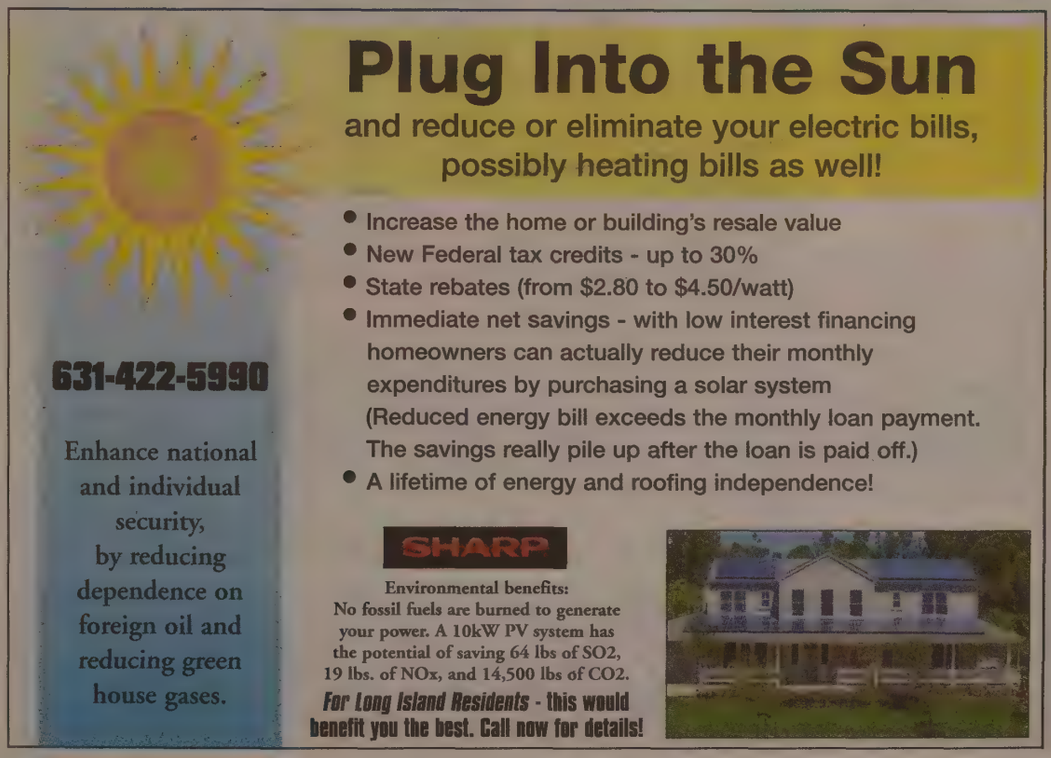
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Raising The Roof

With so many environmental issues at hand, now more than ever, is the time to consider what is best for the planet. When it comes to the home, it is the roof that must bear all the elements, and protect us from them too. Therefore, the decision of what type of roof a home should have is not an easy one and must be researched heavily. We already consider things such as appearance, cost and durability but it is equally important to think about the impact the roof will have on the environment.

Cool metal roofing is seriously worth considering. Not only are they good for the environment, but because most metal roofs are made from a high percentage of recycled material content, they are environmentally friendly. This option is completely advantageous for the consumer. Cool metal roofs can significantly reduce utility costs for both cooling and heating a home. They are excellent insulators in the winter, deflect UV radiation and help to keep a home cooler in the summer. Because metal roofs help with energy conservation, there are possible tax incentives for installing one. If you are worried about the cosmetics of such a roof, they are available in several different colors to suit your particular style. With all these advantages, I am sure we will begin to see more metal roofs in every neighborhood.

Another type of roof to consider, if you are hoping to reduce heating and cooling costs, are green roofs. They are covered with vegetation and soil planted over a waterproofing base, and reduces heating costs by adding mass to the roof, while the evaporation process cools the home. Green roofs are also known to last a long time and help filter pollutants out of the air and rainwater. Also, particularly in cities, they promote wildlife habitation. Although there are many advantages to such a roof, sometimes a home does not have enough structural support, and there are specific standards that these roofs must meet. If your ceiling has a leak, repairing this type of roof buried beneath vegetation can prove to be extremely costly, but the benefits appear to outweigh the possible drawbacks.

If you love the look of a classic clay roof, then be happy to know that this natural product is extremely durable and its color will never fade. Plus, it's reasonable in price. Clay roofs are known to last over 100 years, and are also fireproof. At the end of their lifespan, they are completely recyclable and can be disposed of easily. With the current problems our society faces regarding un-recyclable waste, this is an important factor. It's no surprise that these roofs have been around for so long.

If you are lucky enough to have the opportunity to stroll through The Hamptons Home & Garden Show May 4th, 5th and 6th, stop and talk to the professionals about your roofing possibilities. Euro-Tech General construction specializes in clay roof tiles and can answer any questions regarding roofs. On Top of It and GAF Roofing will also be available to discuss their special roofing system, which creates reliable, long lasting roofs. As we know, longevity is a priority when it comes to installing a new roof. Even if it costs a little extra money for an eco-friendly, long lasting, new roof, it is well worth it. Plus, the roof will most likely outlive its owner. Without having to re-roof the home, owners can save money in the long run. Who would have known that something as simple as a roof would provoke so much thought? When considering a future roof, don't just consider the future of the home, but consider the future of our planet.

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The Tree Doctor

They are in your backyard, at the local high school, in front of the post office and on the sides of your favorite restaurant. There are hundreds, thousands and even millions of them from coast to coast and what many overlook is their precious health care. No, I am not referring to your favorite pet, I am referring to trees. For many of us here on the East End, we are lucky enough to have a view of the calming blue waters of the ocean, harbor or bay, but what if those pristine sights were not bordered with the Pitch pine trees, Dwarf pine trees, and Scrub oak trees, which are native to this area? Unfortunately, just like any living species, trees can get sick and need medical attention when they are ill. If the problem goes untreated, they may fall on your home, car or loved one, and at that point you will have a serious problem to deal with. The good news is that there is one such company that can help you prevent this from happening and they are Sterling Tree & Lawn.

Sterling Tree & Lawn has a strong-rooted passion for tree care and is not a mass marketed, mega company. They have over 20 years of customer service oriented experience, and have worked exclusively with Long Island's soil, climate and diverse landscapes. An arborist, or more commonly known as a tree surgeon, is a professional who maintains and manages trees. They are certified in all aspects of woody plant health and care including diagnosis, treatment of disease, insect infestations and environmental problems.

The arboricultural services that Sterling Tree & Lawn provide are second to none. When you contact Sterling Tree & Lawn, a certified arborist will conduct each and every service on your property. At each visit, individual attention will be given to the property and proper advice, ample information and instructional material will be provided for each prospective client. For all plans of 5 visits or more, a supplemental arborist inspection will be conducted. This visit will include a site inspection and a soil test. Specific recommendations for tree and shrub fertilization and soil amendments will be assessed, and the best part is that all of Sterling's treatment programs have been developed after careful consultation with SUNY Farmingdale and Cornell Universities so it's a guarantee that you are receiving the best in tree care.

Coined the "tree doctor," Sterling Tree & Lawn are armed with a fully stocked pharmacy that includes curative sprays and injection agents, which help to treat specific problems. Caring for trees and the world around us is very important. Many do not realize how crucial their state of health is to our livelihood. If it is hard for you to see the beauty and all their rooted-magic, think of tree care as an investment. Having a healthy tree will, without a doubt, increase your property value by beautifying the area, saving energy by providing shade in the summer months and protection in the winter and most importantly, it will help to purify the air you and your family breathe.

Providing a preventative care and effective maintenance program for your trees and landscape that involves regular inspections and the necessary follow-up care of mulching, fertilizing, and pruning, can help detect problems and correct them before they become damaging or fatal. Considering many tree species can live as long as 200-300 years, these practices of caring for the home's landscape will become an investment as you enjoy and value your property for generations.

Sterling Tree & Lawn has the latest in tree care technology and will be available at the Hamptons Home and Garden Show to answer all your questions. They even have Mauget® injections, which have been developed as a result of extensive research by many federal and state agencies such as USDA-Forest Service. These Micro-Injections alleviate damage to your trees caused by insects, micro-organisms, soil pollutants, air pollutants and nutritional defi-

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Give Your House A Facelift

The siding chosen for a home represents one of its most visible aspects and dictates most of the home's architectural appeal, maintenance needs and resale value. Now there are more styles and choices than ever before. Stone facing is an age-old material used for homes and adds durable refinement and long-lasting beauty to any home. Old homes used to be built out of stone for a lack of building supplies. As times changed, stone became a symbol of money, because the cost to install such a heavy and time-consuming material was too high for the common population.

The look of a stone home used to take a massive amount of time and work. The most advanced technology has brought us stone veneers. When it comes to enhancing the curbside appeal of your home, the natural beauty of stone veneer is an affordable alternative. Unlike artificial stones, stone veneers are made from real quarried stone that is cut into 1-inch-1.5-inches in thickness, which makes them lightweight and easy to install. The veneers look realistic because they are created from a natural product and the randomness of nature eliminates a repeated pattern, often seen in artificial stone.

Stone veneer siding is not as heavy or cumbersome to install as traditional stone. It also helps to enhance all different styles of homes, not just million dollar homes anymore. Custom shapes and corner pieces can be produced in a fraction of the time it once took to shape traditional stone facing. Stone veneers are more durable than artificial stone and can be applied to any surface without the need for foundations or footings, eliminating the time and money necessary for those supports. Veneers are low maintenance and only need to be hosed down annually. They are also fireproof and extremely solid.

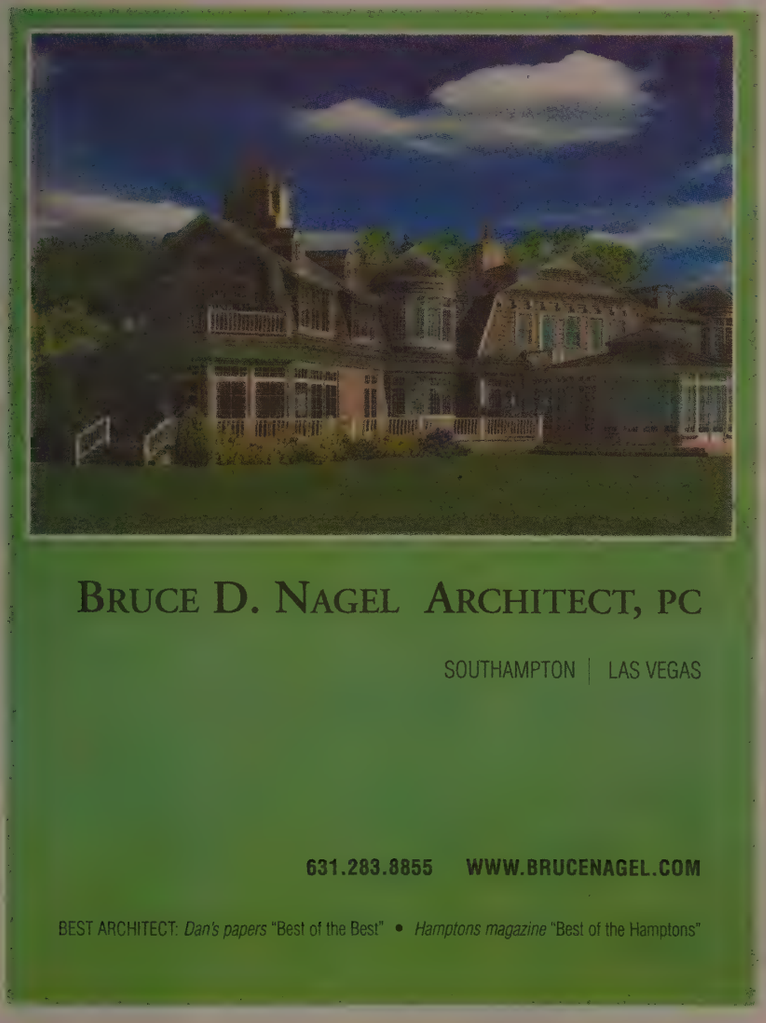
There are not many drawbacks to stone veneers, but damage can be caused after years of wear and tear. Most problems with veneer siding usually occur along the mortar joints. All mortar eventually begins to shrink and crack if it is poorly applied or contains substandard material, which will crumble more quickly than top-grade mortar. This happens most often at the corner or bottom of a wall, and it is most likely caused by the water build-up that can't escape from the weep holes. To avoid this, make sure the water can escape. Rarely should you have problems with the stones themselves, and if they do chip, it will not be as noticeable as it is in artificial stones because of the veneer's natural coloring. Professional installation of stone veneers has a tendency to run a bit on the pricey side, but you are saving a lot by using veneers as opposed to stone facing. The only other disadvantage to stone veneers is that vines or ivy may weaken the veneers. This is a shame because there is nothing I love more that seeing an old stone house covered with ivy. Vegetation actually holds moisture in the walls and can advance the cracking and crumbling process.

Molded directly from nature, National Stone Veneer International's stone is a contemporary and attractive alternative to solid rock and traditional siding. They place their emphasis on researching natural stone throughout the world, and offer nature's finest hues, unique textures and authentic details to enhance your home or business. NSVI sells a variety of over 50 veneers and patterns. National Stone Veneers International invites you to contact them and discuss how their process and broad selection of stone veneers can bring an element of long lasting beauty to your home. Their products can be shipped anywhere in the United States.

Stone veneers are the work of geology, not man. Because of this they will look spectacular whether the setting is residential or commercial. The style and durability of stone veneer siding ensures that it will fit into any neighborhood or city.

– Kelly Merritt

To learn more about National Stone Veneers International and other stone veneer companies, find them at the Hamptons Home and Garden Show or visit www.nsvi.com.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Rock Hard Kitchen

There's something so real about stone. When it comes to the materials used to build our dwellings, it seems we have moved further and further away from what nature intended. For a species that started out living in caves, we have taken leaps and bounds to the current era of aluminum siding, concrete and plywood. The insides of our homes have reflected this shift as well. I mean, what on earth is linoleum made from, anyway?

Still, there is something tasteful and elegant about upholding some degree of nature in the home. One excellent way to accomplish this is by using something that can be found in the earth ready for use: stone. Stone is a material that simultaneously emits a feeling of comfort and class. Stone can transform an ordinary kitchen into the heart of a real country home. Whether you are dicing onions on stone slab countertops or standing on a sleek stone floor, your kitchen will benefit from the use of natural stone.

Stone countertops have become all the rage, and they seem to be a prerequisite for any new kitchen. However, even if you're not planning on gutting the kitchen and starting from scratch, you can add a transformative touch to the kitchen by changing the countertops. Granite countertops are very popular

and masterfully balance elegance and rustic simplicity. However, your choices are much more varied than that. When it comes to countertops, one can choose from granite, marble, limestone, slate, soapstone and natural quartz. Besides your first instinct of what looks best, there are some things to know about your options before making a decision.

Granite is the most durable of the stones. That means it can be used as a countertop and cutting board without a second thought. You can chop, roll dough and place hot dishes directly on the granite without compromising it's durability. Granite needs to be resealed about once a year, because it is porous.

Marble is grandiose and beautiful. It is cool to the touch and always looks sleek. It makes a kitchen fit for a mansion. In terms of its utilitarianism, marble is excellent for those pastry chefs out there who plan on rolling a lot of dough. It is less convenient for those cooks who do a lot of chopping and dicing, because it is not as durable as granite. You will need to apply sealants, and reseal more often than with granite.

Limestone has a casual and weathered look. However, it may not be as practical as marble or granite because it stains easily. Jerusalem stone is a special type of limestone that is more durable than others, and as a result gives the same weathered look with less maintenance.

Slate has been used as a building material for centuries, most commonly as a roofing option. It is very durable. Because it has a low absorption rate, sealing is not as urgent and stains will most likely not show up. Slate is commanding, simple and beautiful.

Soapstone has been traditionally used in American homes. Early settlers in New England used soapstone for their countertops because of its durability. Stains can easily be taken care of and chopping will not damage the material.

If you are looking to make a few smaller changes in the kitchen, you may want to start with an accent such as a stone sink. Stone sinks give the kitchen a very rustic feel, and there is something soothing about watching the water fall on hard stone. These sinks are so simple, and often hand-carved from a single block of stone. Many companies will custom design stone sinks to fit the dimensions of your kitchen.

If you are looking to incorporate stone into your kitchen, have an expert assess the job. Some local businesses that specialize in stone work include

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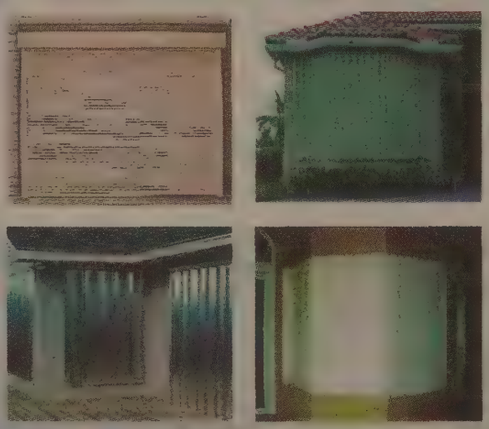

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Personalize Your Palette

Benjamin Moore & Co. was founded in 1883 and is one of the country's leading manufacturers of premium quality architectural, commercial and industrial maintenance coatings. Benjamin Moore products are sold through a network of authorized, independent retailers throughout North America.

With the launch of Aura, Benjamin Moore has created the first new technology platform for paint since the introduction of latex in the 1950s – and has elevated its longstanding legacy of environmental stewardship to an historic new level. After all, Aura meets the country's most stringent VOC regulations of 50 grams per liter with its waterborne colorant system, while delivering the ultimate in performance.

Conventional paint colorants contain volatile organic compounds (VOCs). Before Aura, even paint considered eco-friendly was often infused with significant levels of VOCs once colorants were added. Thanks to its revolutionary formulation, Aura's VOC level is remarkably low – just 50 grams per liter. Federal regulations allow for up to 250 grams for flat and 380 grams for non-flat paint. Furthermore, tinting the paint with Benjamin Moore's breakthrough waterborne colorants adds no additional VOCs.

Presently, colorants added by retailers are not regulated by the Environmental Protection Agency

(EPA), California's South Coast Air Quality Management District, or any other legislative body. With Aura, Benjamin Moore once again has exceeded current and foreseeable regulatory requirements, while enhancing both quality and performance.

Benjamin Moore has created its first all-new, original color palette in six years, the Affinity™ Color Collection, to coincide with the advent of Aura, the company's breakthrough super premium paint. Affinity is comprised of 144 versatile hues, each designed to work on its own, but also uniquely harmonious with one another. Inspired by global fashion trends, far-flung locales and the beauty of nature, the collection adds sophistication, depth and richness to interior settings.

"It was Le Corbusier who said that, 'Color belongs to our being; maybe each one of us has his own.' The Affinity palette makes his concept tangible," said Doty Horn, Benjamin Moore's director of color and design, who developed the collection with a team of color experts and designers. "Affinity was created not only to express individuality, but to ensure the colors all work together — in any combination, in any interior. Affinity opens a world of color confidence to even the most demanding consumers and interior designers."

Three broad themes guided Benjamin Moore's tantalizing new range – Eclectic Chic, the Spirit of Individuality; Pure Harmony, Nature's Balance; and Global Artisan, the world's artistry and beauty. The individual Affinity color names are memorable and descriptive, evoking personal associations and experiences. Lingerie, a pale pink; Caliente, a spicy red; and Fiji, a peaceful blue, instantly trigger vivid images and stimulate the senses.

Personalizing one's own palette is easy with Affinity color tools, available at participating Benjamin Moore retailers. Color Inspiration cards provide striking combinations to fuel the imagination of designers and color-conscious consumers, and Affinity Color Collection booklets feature the entire collection in color chips. Designers will appreciate the elegant Affinity fan deck, created to nestle in the palm of one's hand with each color entitled to its own full vane.

A Brief Benjamin Moore Environmental Timeline

1950s – Latex paint is introduced to the market. Original latex paint, an emulsion of plastic materials, was a byproduct of the research for synthetic rubber conducted during WWII.

1960s – Benjamin Moore begins the elimination of lead from the formulations of its architectural coat-

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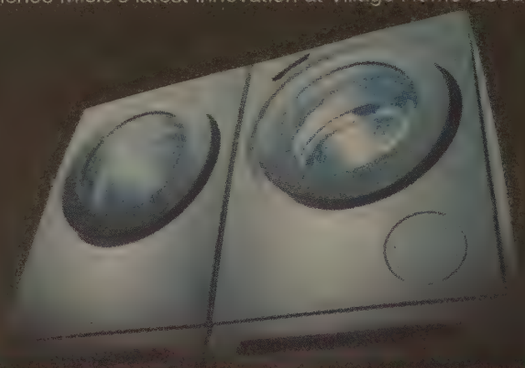

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Where do we go from here? There are so many steps that each of us can take toward energy independence. Producing your own electricity and lowering your electrical load go hand in hand. Start by looking at every outlet in the home and see which items are making the meter spin. Phone chargers, DVD players, and sprinkler systems are all using power, even when they are not in use. Also, save power by replacing appliances with Energy Star models. There are even high performance pool pumps that use significantly less power than traditional systems. Have a look at www.lipower.org, where you can find a list of 53 ways to lower your electric bill.

Of course renewable energy does not stop at solar electric systems. Solar hot water, wind power and geothermal systems are also viable options. LIPA is working on a rebate offer for wind turbines. Many towns are also considering revising their code to allow for wind installations.

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ings. The EPA, created in 1972, bans the use of lead in paints in 1978.

1970s – Benjamin Moore eliminates mercury from its formulations. It will be several decades before the EPA bans the use of mercury in paints.

1990s – Benjamin Moore introduces Pristine® (soon renamed Eco Spec®) paint, a 100 percent acrylic latex paint system that contains no solvents and is formulated to be the most eco-friendly product possible.

2000s – Eco Spec is certified by Greenguard Environmental Institute for meeting GREENGUARD® Indoor Air Quality standards. Eco Spec earns Green Seal® certification from the independent, non-profit organization that identifies and promotes environmentally friendly products. Benjamin Moore introduces Aura, a 100 percent acrylic paint matched with Benjamin Moore's newly created waterborne colorant system that is both eco-friendly and performance enhancing.

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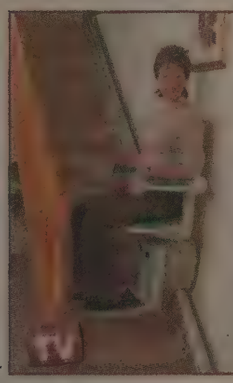

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Putt At Home

Not too many people suggest putting a driving range in their backyards for obvious reasons. We've all seen and laughed at Hamptonite Chevy Chase as he smacked a golf ball around his mansion in the movie *Caddyshack*.

Launching golf ball into the ocean from your oceanfront home is not a bad idea, but what about putting?

Well, there are some businesses in the Hamptons that can hook you up so that even when you are at home, you can practice your golf game, alone or with friends and family. Having a putting green setup outside of your house adds a unique flavor to the yard and also really will help your golf game.

Southwest Putting Greens and Putting Green of Long Island are two businesses that do just that. Setting up a putting green that looks cool and classy needs to be left to the professionals. Buying one of those makeshift putting greens for your office and setting it up outside of your estate just isn't going to cut it.

The design of these greens is just so unbelievably cool. Both companies actually design and create real-deal putting greens that are incredibly pleasing to the eye, right in your backyard.

Creating a putting green begins with a vision.

Using state of the art technology, a green maker can work on a project on a computer, using the exact layout of the place in your yard that you wish to place the green.

Having a beautiful putting green installed in your backyard takes both science and art. Installing the putting green, putting in the correct grass or turf and the surveying process is the science – designing the greens is certainly the art.

How the green is going to be set up and how it will challenge the player needs to be determined, as do ways that the green will fit in with the rest of the landscaping on your property.

Putting greens can even be set up with sand bunkers, which add to the challenge and look gorgeous behind the backdrop of any type of Hamptons water, whether it be ocean or bay. Being the owner of an oceanfront putting green is pretty neat.

Depending on your property, both companies also offer you the ability to set up not just a green, but a hole as well. If you have the space, the companies will take the time to offer you both options, so that you can enjoy the luxury of breaking out another club besides your putter. Of course, a caddie will not be provided.

So let's talk dollars and cents. Most projects cost around $20 per square foot, but others can cost more or less depending on which options you choose. One option, synthetic grass, is a state of the art material that does any green justice. Many professional stadiums and sports facilities use the same type of material as it has a look and feel that is very natural. And it doesn't need to be maintained every week.

From an investment perspective, installing a putting green will add value to your home – but don't let that be the only reason you get one of these. After all, golf is a lot of fun and practicing on your own green will turn playing on a real course from a long and frustrating walk into a fun, bragging-rights-worthy day.

– David Lion Rattiner

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Redecorate Your Summer Home for 30K or Less

From Southampton to Amagansett, the Hamptons is home to some of the most gorgeous properties in the world. Residents shell out hundreds of thousands of dollars on interior design, just to get that homey beach house look. Many times, these design-savvy homeowners won't bat an eyelash at spending $30,000 to renovate a single walk-in-closet in their tony summer homes. For those of you who have more style than money, there are some easy, affordable ways to decorate your entire summer home for less than $30,000.

"The best designers combine high and low priced items in a way that looks expensive," says Cindy Lee Bergersen, a prominent interior designer.

Bergersen suggests filling the room with collections of found objects that you picked up on vacation or at small boutiques, just because you loved looking at them. If you group objects you love together, they make a big impact. Family photos shouldn't be randomly scattered all over the living room. It makes a much better statement if you group all of the photos in one place. Pottery Barn makes great picture shelves that artfully display elegant groupings of family photos like your own personal art gallery.

"A designer look is something simple, elegant and in good taste," states Bergersen. Buying a simple orchid and putting it in a vase with river rocks or sand is a great way to get a designer look for the fraction of the cost. When you combine flowers in a vase, always use an odd number of flowers such as 1, 3, or 5 as opposed to even numbers. It just looks more put together. Another easy way to create dramatic, beach décor is to take a wide hurricane, a thick candle, some sand and sea shells and put them together for a designer look.

As far as accessories, there are a lot of very well-known designers who go to Pearl River Mart, the Chinese Department Store in Soho. "They have a great selection of streamlined products that look more expensive then they are," explains Bergersen. They sell wrought iron trays there that look like they cost $150 but sell for $22.50. Stores like West Elm also have designs in natural materials with clean lines at great prices.

For designer finds on a dime, check out the outlets. The ABC Carpet and Home Warehouse Outlet in the Bronx has fabulous rugs and furniture at discount prices. If you go to Woodbury Common Premium Outlets, check out Crate and Barrel, Frette, Le Creuset, Pratesi and Williams Sonoma. En route to the Hamptons, stop at the Tanger Outlet in Riverhead and pick up some last minute finds at the Pottery Barn Outlet.

When should you splurge and when should you cut costs? Bergersen suggests buying the best quality upholstered furniture you can afford. Mitchell Gold and Bob Williams and George Smith make great sofas that will last for years. If you have a great quality sofa that looks a bit dated, have slipcovers made in two different prints. Don't worry that slipcovers will give you that rumpled, sloppy, shabby-chic look that was so popular a few years ago. "A good fabricator can make slipcovers fit as tight as a dress," declares Bergersen. She suggests having two sets made; one for spring and one for the winter months, so you get a bevy of looks. The great thing about slipcovers is you get a whole new look without paying for a whole new sofa. If you get sick of the print, you can always get new slipcovers for an entirely new look. "If you love your sofa, it's a wonderful thing to come home to," notes Bergersen.

Cindy Lee Bergersen has been designing interiors in California and New York for over two decades. She attended California College of Arts and Crafts and the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York, where she earned a Magna Cum Laude degree in Interior Design. Her Home Design Consultation services offer a customized approach for each client, with a menu of design service options. She also offers as access to trade resources and discounts, to help resolve home decorating questions without a required commitment to a larger home design project. For more information please visit www.homedesignconsultation.com.

– Robin Kassner

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Outdoor Kitchens

The Hamptons Expo Group will be holding the Hamptons Home and Garden Show at the Southampton Elks Lodge Fairgrounds from May 4-6. Sponsored in part by *Dan's Papers* the show is held as a way to provide home improvement solutions for homeowners and industrial professionals like builders, interior decorators and architects. The show was held for the first time in the summer of 2005 and proved to be a well-attended event on the East End. The Hamptons Expo Group plans on adding to the show each and every year for continued success.

The Expo is a source for finding new ways to enjoy outdoor space in the warmer seasons and to maximize your property's potential. One way to do that is with an outdoor kitchen, which has proven to be the latest trend in outdoor living. It is a great way to entertain and be entertained in an environment that is naturally durable, functional and beautiful.

The outdoor kitchen is growing in popularity because of its convenience to the homeowner. Barbeques and evening cookouts are one of the simple pleasures in the summer season. The smell of the food cooking on the grill is mouthwatering and everything seems to just taste better when it

is grilled. Spending time outside is one of the true joys of being out here on the East End during the summer and it is hard not to have a good time – that is, unless you're the harried host running back and forth between the barbeque and the kitchen. Imagine having to run through the house to fetch the hotdogs and hamburgers, silverware, refreshments, and the ketchup and mustard. Then, when the night is over and everyone has headed home, everything must be lugged back inside. Outdoor kitchens make it easy to entertain and are also a great way to spice up your patio.

Having an outdoor kitchen will allow you to spend more quality time with family and friends, since it puts all the necessities for outdoor dining close at hand. An outdoor kitchen can be as simple as a storage cabinet for cooking equipment or as ambitious as a full kitchen with a grill, refrigerator, sink and eating area. Either way, your backyard will gain an outside space that is sure to become a natural gathering spot for family and friends.

Outdoor kitchens can cost between $3,000 and $15,000 depending on the appliances and accessories that are on your budget. It will cost about $3,000 for an outdoor kitchen with a high quality grill and a six -foot long counter. Although it may be natural to compare an outdoor kitchen to the one in your house, there are a few key differences between the two. For instance, while a barbeque and counter space for preparing food are essential, a refrigerator and sink are not. Of course including them both can boost the value of your home, and may help the outdoor kitchen qualify as a second kitchen. Another key difference to keep in mind is that indoor kitchens, especially when remodeling, are designed to comply with a list of rules, regulations and warnings. Outdoor kitchens, however, are much more casual.

So how elaborate should your outdoor kitchen be? Again, it depends on what suits your family and budget. For example, if you barbecue only once a week in the summer, a good quality grill and a freestanding cabinet for storage would suffice. Most cabinet models are made with easy to clean surfaces like stainless steel because they are meant to hold up to the weather elements and corrosion. Grilling necessities can be stored in the cabinet until they need to be used. If you're the type who enjoys eating outside as much as possible, then you will probably want extra storage space such as an island or table for dining,

If you're in the market for an outdoor kitchen, the Hamptons Home and Garden Show is the place for you to go. You can speak to professionals in the industry who can help you find exactly what you are looking for and will help you make your outdoor kitchen, the one you have always dreamed of.

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-Emily J Weitz

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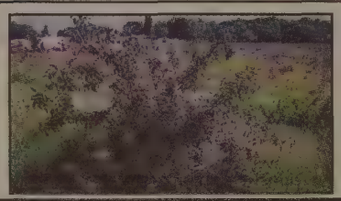

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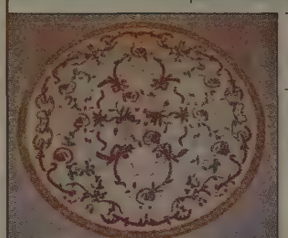

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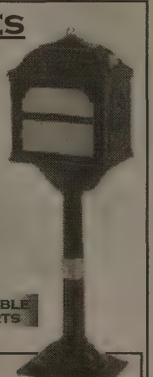

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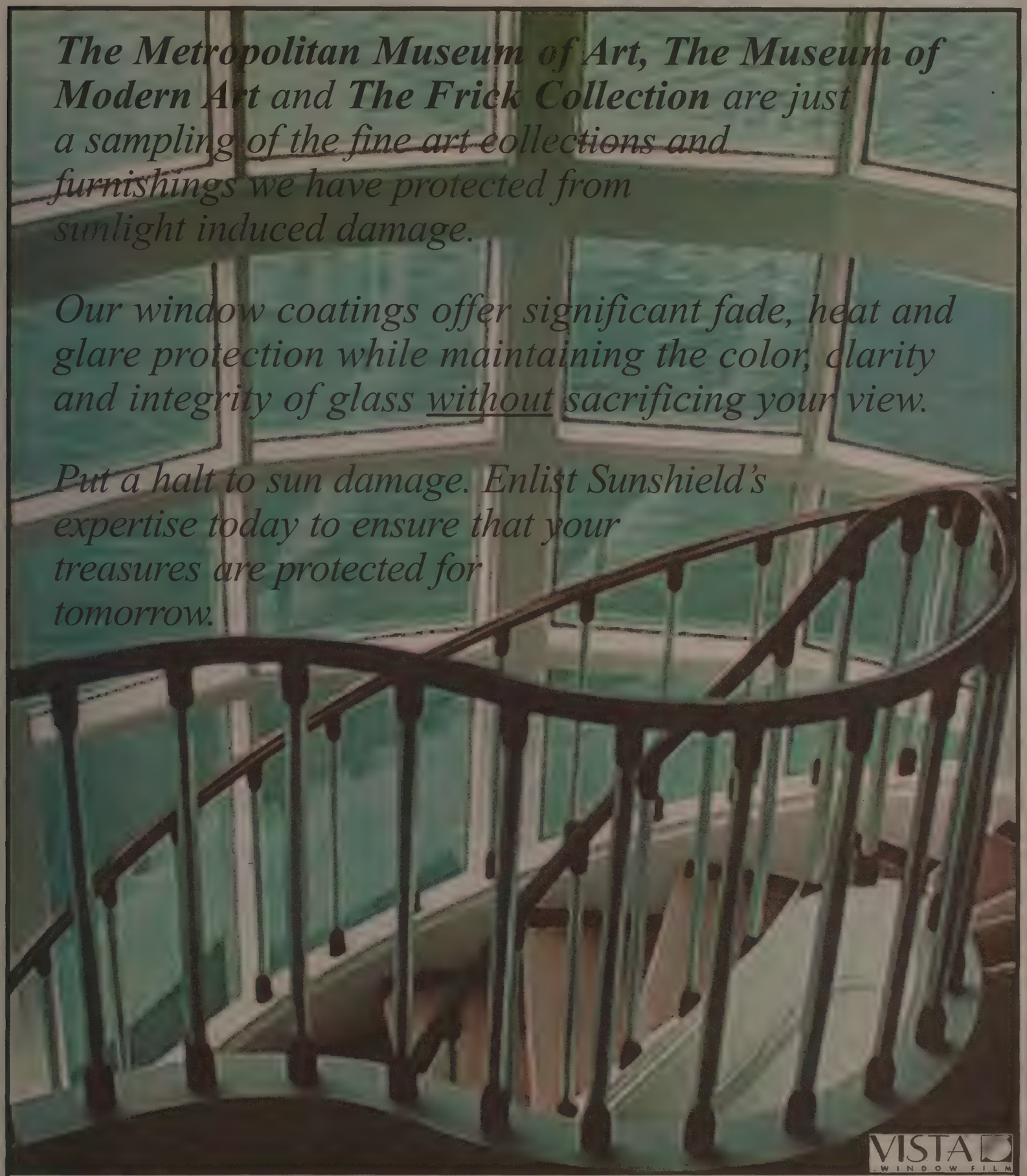
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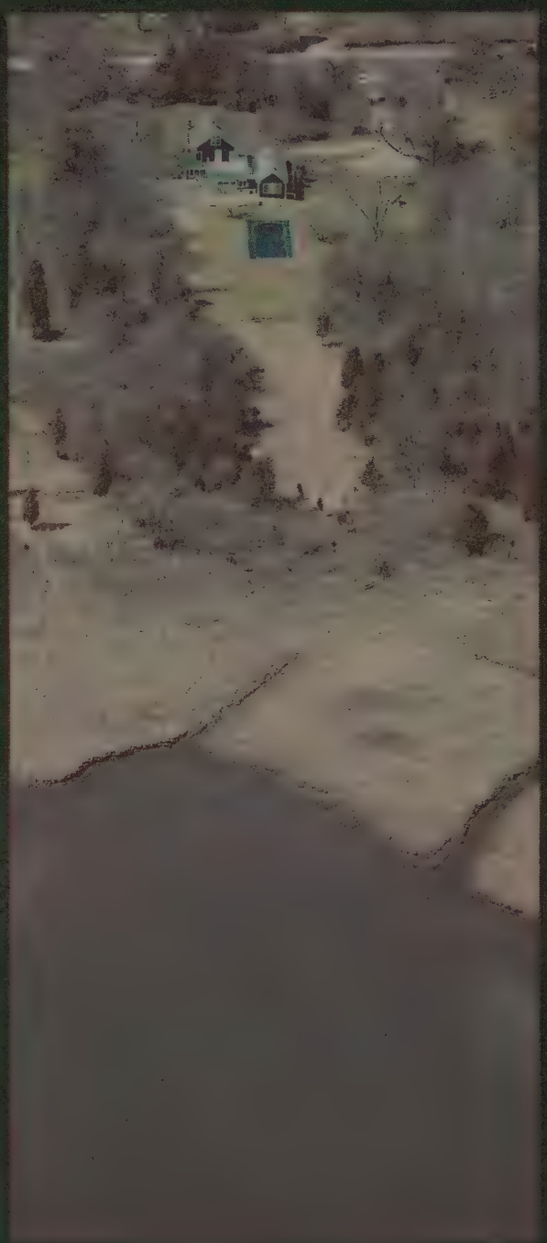

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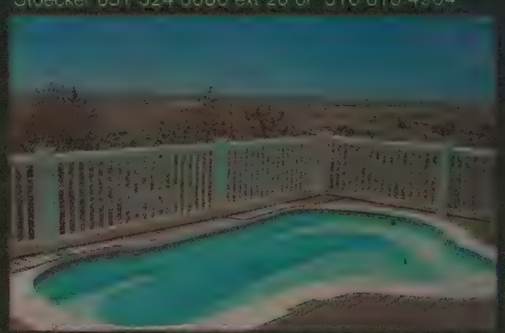

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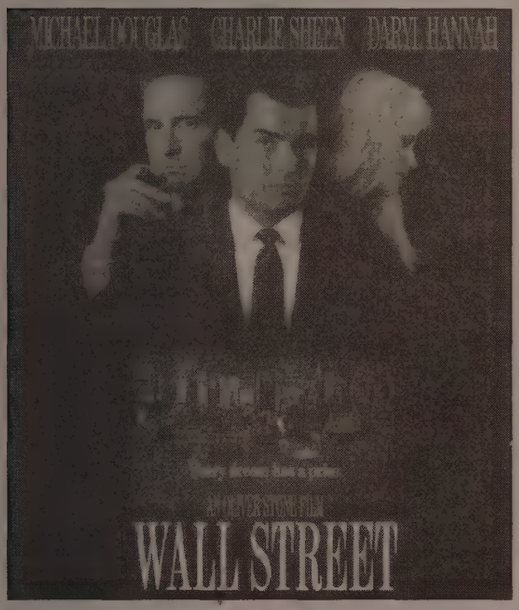
WALL STREET

The final feature film presentation of the spring edition of *Dan's Paper's* They Made the Movie Here Film Festival is *Wall Street*, Oliver Stone's hard-as-nails film that could be titled *War Street*. Here's the drill. On Saturday, May 5, at 3 p.m., arrive at the Westhampton Beach Performing Arts Center on Main Street and get a pounding, physical going-over with an aggressive, jabbing, Oscar-winning performance by Michael Douglas as Gordon Gekko, a no-holds-barred, destructive Wall Street terminator who will lie, cheat, search and destroy any company or anyone to make a mil or so and, preferably, a lot more. *Wall Street's* penetrating, eye opening action and deep massaging of your anger is guaranteed to trim off a few of those deep furrows on your brow as you get worked over by wheeler-dealer Gekko, one of the most powerful and rotten buyers and sellers in the market. Warning: you will leave satisfied but bruised *and* it's free.



Initially, I was surprised when I first heard that *Wall Street* was to be Oliver Stone's follow-up film after his raw and scathing war movie, *Platoon,* which won so many Oscars, including Best Picture and Best Director. I figured Ollie needed a little peace respite from warfare. Boy, was I wrong. In *Wall Street*, which he co-wrote with Stanley Weiser, not only do the traders wage business war with Eastern philosophical battle tactics, but Stone's Gekko goes far beyond the art of war. He lives for high profit and low morals. He's a killer. His mottoes (the milder ones) include "Churn 'em and burn 'em," "Rip their f-ing throats out" and "Legal? LEGAL?? HAH!" He eats raw meat. Lunch is for wimps. He chews up competition and spits 'em out onto the street. Money is power.

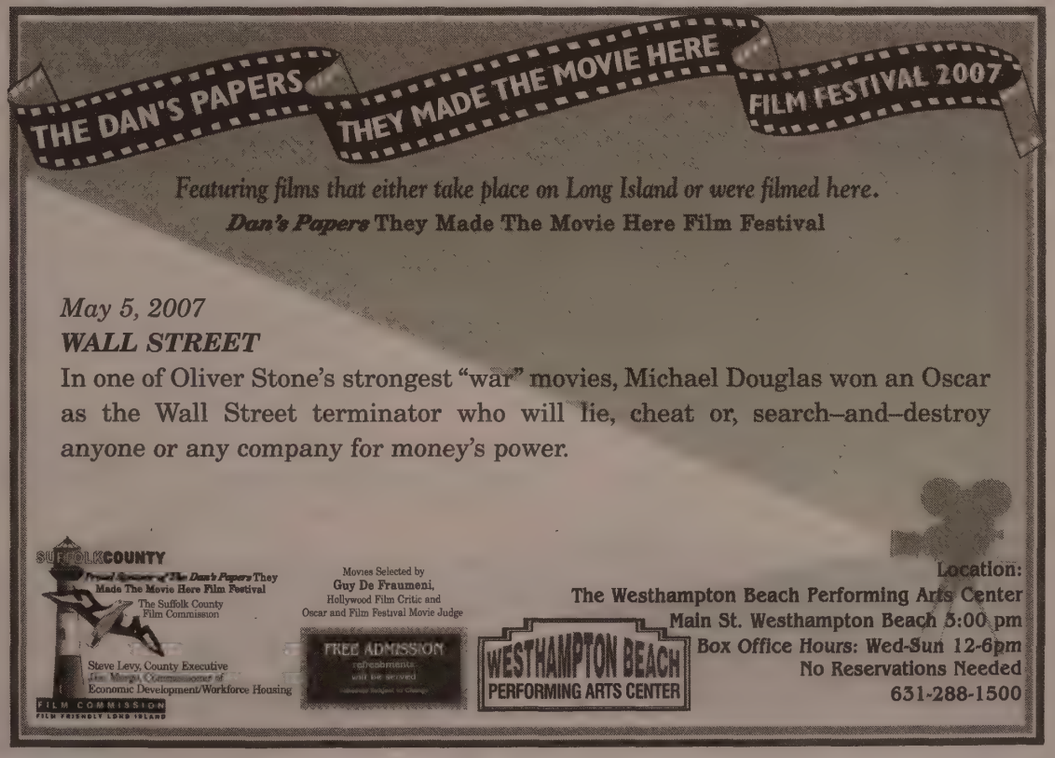
From Stone's opening scenes of NYC on its way to work to swinging Sinatra at daybreak to the flying numbers, brokerage houses and the seemingly crazed, high-rolling action of the Stock Market, even out as far as the smooth, rolling wave action of East Hampton beaches, there is tacit manipulation, clawing deception and lascivious profit hunting. And it smells.

Also on the scent of big money is young Bud Fox (Charlie Sheen), who is a wannabe Gekko in this tale that attacks the "American Way." The story is a kind of one-plot-fits-all that you've seen done with many themes and subjects already. Bud comes across with illegal inside info for Gekko and a box of Cuban cigars. It works and generates big bucks. Gekko sends Bud a blonde, a stretch limo, champagne, no pain cocaine and oral sex. POW! Buddy Boy is hooked. He's an $800-suited corporate spy, buying and selling out his best friends, his girlfriend (Darryl Hannah) and his Dad (real-life father, Martin Sheen, in very winning form). Can Bud turn against his mentor and colossal idol?

Oliver Stone dedicated this film to his father, a broker. *Wall Street* has passion and the trading war is depicted with a good, in-step cast, including the impeccable performer Terence Stamp, but it's Mike Douglas' Gekko that makes the army march boldly.

So park and march or jog, jaunty-jolly to the Westhampton Performing Arts Center for refreshments and talk with Sarah Halsey. Okay, let's go! HUT 2, 3, 4 – HUT 2, 3, 4. GASP!

Guy-Jean de Fraumeni is the producer/writer/director of award-winning European and American feature films. He has been a judge at Major Film and TV award competitions, including the Oscars, the Emmy's and various film festivals. He is assisted by Sarah Halsey.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Spiderman 3

The most successful of current superhero franchises returns with a darker edge. Comic book obsessives will be anxious to see how Tobey Maguire stands up against new enemies Venom (Topher Grace) and the Sandman (Thomas Haden Church). Exciting, colourful and gleefully sinister, this is a summer blockbuster par excellence.

Lucky You

Given the current mania for online poker, Warner Brothers is clearly hoping to make the most of this thoroughly bland comedy drama. Eric Bana stars as a professional poker player trying to make it big in the World Series. Drew Barrymore plays his love interest and looks bored throughout the movie. To be avoided.

Kickin' It Old Skool

Never-has-been, Jamie Kennedy, stars as a 32-year-old who wakes up after 20 years in a coma. Still with the mind of a pre-teen, he decides it's time to round up his former breakdancer friends. While the concept is authentic 1980's, this is truly tedious fare.

The Invisible

First it was all the rage to remake Asian horror movies and now it's the return of Scandinavian thrillers in this supernatural whodunit. Justin Chatwin stars as a teen trying to solve his own murder from beyond the grave in a film that describes itself as "Ghost meets the OC."

Next

Nicolas Cage limps closer and closer to career annihilation with this uninspired thriller. Playing a Las Vegas magician who can see the future, he finds himself up against the CIA who wants to use his powers for evil. Julianne Moore offers meek, but beautiful support.

The Condemned

While the idea of WWE's Stone Cold Steve Austin being shipped off to an island in the middle of nowhere is certainly appealing, there's no need to actually watch it. Here he plays a convict being used as a contestant by a reality TV deathmatch show. A deeply subpar Running Man.

Vacancy

The abysmal Kate Beckinsale continues her campaign of cinematic assault in this tale of a young couple that finds themselves trapped in a very sinister motel. This is director Nimrod Antal's first US feature film, and it's an inauspicious start. At best, this is a mildy claustrophobic B-movie. At worst, this makes *The Hills Have Eyes 7* look original.

Hot Fuzz

The British team behind zombie-farce *Shaun of the Dead* return for this parody of police drama. Perhaps the genre itself is less ripe for satire, or perhaps the plot just doesn't move quite smoothly enough, but this has none of the brio of their previous outing. Certainly a welcomed change from drab American romcoms, but nothing special in its own right.

Fracture

After a string of roles playing sedate, older characters, Anthony Hopkins returns to the psychotic calm that won him international acclaim for *The Silence of the Lambs*. While this tale of a wily and murderous husband never comes close to that classic, it's nonetheless a tense and sinister film. The ever-excellent Ryan Gosling weighs in as assistant DA seeking justice for the deceased.

Pathfinder

Has director Marcus Nispel been possessed by the spirit of Mel Gibson? Certainly, this is a far cry from Nispel's music video work (Cher, Janet Jackson etc.) and feels much more in the overblown, simplistic 'historical' epic vein. Here, the plot concerns a fateful meeting between the Vikings and the Native Americans. Bloodshed ensues.

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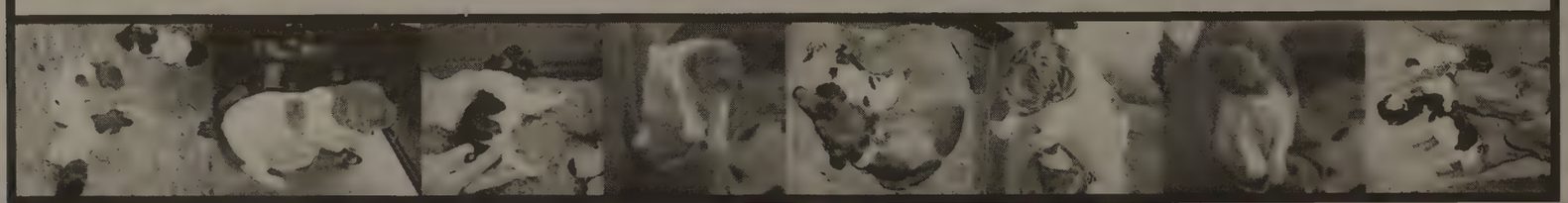


Silvia Lehrer's Cooking Column

Green is everywhere with the sweet smell of lush, freshly cut lawns and the joy of tiny green buds appearing on trees and shrubs. Emerald green is the birthstone for the month of May and my birthdays in May, too – is anyone listening? We read much about the greening of America, in products to clean our homes, at food co-ops and in eco-friendly clothing. However you choose to save the planet, here are recipes to cook at home that get my vote for healthy eating.

Inspired by a recipe for roasting asparagus in a paper bag, I roasted the vegetable in a parchment paper envelope to steam in its own delectable juices of olive oil, lemon zest and lemon slices – yum. I know the aversion some folk have for broccoli rabe because of its characteristic bitterness. Maria Tennariello, *Dan's Papers* Shop Til You Drop fashion writer, provided me with her mom's broccoli rabe family recipe and I'm delighted to preserve it. It's assertive punch is tamed by the sweetness of sautéed onion and tomato with a crunchy breadcrumb topping. This leafy green vegetable is low in calories – about 40 per cup, is an excellent source of vitamins A and C, a good source of potassium and low in sodium. My case is made! And *verdure saltate* – sautéed greens – has to be the ultimate "greens" recipe with several green vegetables in one delicious dish.

ASPARAGUS EN PAPILLOTE

Roasting is my favorite technique for cooking asparagus. Wrapping the vegetable in parchment holds in the fruity oil and lemony seasonings.

Serves 4-6

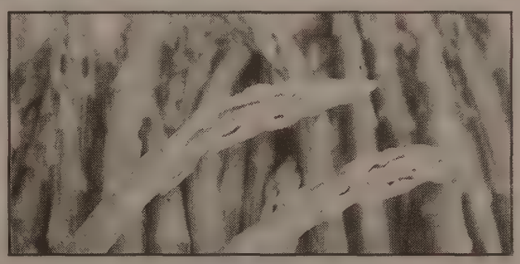
1 pound medium asparagus
3-4 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
Coarse (kosher) salt and freshly ground pepper to taste
Grated rind of 1 lemon
1 lemon thinly sliced

Parchment paper

1. Break each asparagus where they naturally bend and discard ends. Trim the points of each spear with a paring knife as they harbor sand. Rinse the vegetable and dry with paper towels.

2. Cut a square of parchment paper to cover the length of a baking sheet. Fold the paper in half. Open the paper and place the asparagus in a single layer alongside the crease. Season with olive oil, salt and pepper, lemon rind and lemon slices to cover. Fold over the top paper to cover the asparagus then cut the corners of the parchment so that you have a heart-shaped package. Starting at the fold, crimp along the edge overlapping the fold as you go along. Can be done ahead to this point.

Preheat oven to 400 degrees.



3. Bake for 8 minutes. Turn off heat and let package sit in closed oven for 2-3 minutes longer. Open the package along the edges and then slide out the ingredients with a rubber spatula to a warm serving platter, keeping all the seasonings intact. Serve at once.

BROCCOLI RABE WITH TOMATO AND BREAD CRUMBS

This leafy, sparsely budded vegetable is as popular today as spinach. Here its assertive punch is tamed by the sweetness of the onion and tomato.

Serves 4-6

1 large bunch broccoli rabe
3 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
1 Bermuda onion, thinly sliced
2-3 garlic cloves cut into paper thin slices
1/4 teaspoon crushed red pepper flakes
3-4 anchovy fillets
Coarse (kosher) salt and freshly ground pepper to taste
2 plum tomatoes, peeled, seeded and diced
1/4 cup coarse toasted breadcrumbs

1. Trim broccoli rabe of its heavy base stems, rinse in a colander and soak in fresh cold water for 10-15 minutes. Transfer to a steamer over simmering water in a large pot and put in the broccoli rabe. Cover the pot and steam about 2 minutes, no longer. Remove from heat and drain.

2. Heat two tablespoons olive oil in a large skillet and put in the onion and garlic. Saute the mixture for a few minutes, add pepper flakes and puree the anchovies into the mixture. Put in the steamed broccoli rabe, season lightly with salt (anchovies are salty) but season well with freshly ground pepper to taste, and toss everything to mix. Cook for another minute or two to heat the vegetable through.

2. Transfer to a warm serving platter, top with remaining diced tomato, remaining oil and breadcrumbs. Serve hot.

VERDURA SALTATE

The ultimate "greens" dish, Italian style.

Serves 6-8

1/2 pound green beans trim and halve on the diagonal
6 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
3 large garlic cloves, finely chopped
1 pound escarole, trimmed, washed and spin dried
1 pound loose spinach, trimmed, washed and spin dried
1/4 pound arugula, trimmed, washed and spin dried
1 tablespoon fresh marjoram leaves
Coarse salt and freshly ground pepper
Grated peel from 1 large lemon

1. Blanch green beans in a large saucepan of boiling water until tender but still firm to the bite, about 3-4 minutes. Drain and quickly refresh under a spray of cool water. Dry on a clean kitchen towel. Can be prepared ahead.

2. Heat oil in a large heavy skillet over medium heat. Add garlic and saute for 20-30 seconds, being careful not to brown. Add escarole and cook two minutes until barely tender. Add spinach and arugula and cook until leaves are wilted, about two minutes, stirring occasionally. Add green beans and marjoram and stir until heated through. Season with salt, pepper and grated lemon peel. Stir to mix and serve at once.

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When I walked into Birchwood on the Park, nestled in a little corner of Southampton on Jobs Lane, my senses immediately went into hyper drive. At first glance I spied the heart of any pub-like eatery – the bar, where at 8 p.m. on a Friday night the talented bartending staff was hard at work serving up cold beverages to thirsty patrons. Owner and restaurateur James Loo took over ownership of the establishment in February of this year, and the place is already becoming a favorite of Southampton locals and visitors alike.

My guest and I were greeted at the door by Birchwood's Restaurant Manager, Jeanne Smith. We were whisked to a cozy table in the main dining area, but I did catch a glimpse of an outdoor patio, which I definitely plan to make use of once the weather warms up.

Photo by Genevieve Salamone

Our friendly waitress, Liz, offered some helpful suggestions on what appetizers to order. She recommended we try the nachos, which were piled high with Head Chef Mary Livingstone's phenomenal homemade chili, spicy jalapeños and cheese. We also sampled the fresh fried calamari, and being a huge fan of this dish, it is my way of deciding if a restaurant is worth coming back to. The breading on calamari is, without a doubt, the most important aspect. Birchwood's definitely passed the test with my discerning palate. The squid was cooked perfectly, still tender and juicy, and the breading held on through the frying. It was a party in my mouth.

Next, we had our soup course. I chose the special of the night, comforting chicken vegetable, while my guest ordered classic French onion soup. The chicken soup had chunks of chicken, was loaded with fresh veggies and was perfectly seasoned. The French onion soup won us both over, with a delicious piece of bread and plenty of provolone cheese.

For the main course, I decided to try one of Birchwood's specials of the night, pasta rosa with chicken, spinach and fresh mozzarella in a pink brandy cream sauce, while my guest went for one of their juicy, eight ounce burgers with crispy seasoned waffle fries on the side. My pasta dish was enormous, loaded with tender strips of grilled chicken and huge pieces of mozzarella that melted into the light cream sauce. The spinach was fresh and tender, and my taste buds were more than satisfied with my choice. We ate until we couldn't fit another bite into our pleasantly full bellies.

What impressed us the most about Birchwood was the seemingly endless menu, filled with comforting foods such as pot roast, meatloaf, chicken francaise and loaded steak fajitas. The sandwich menu offers favorites such as hot pastrami topped with provolone cheese and French dip with mounds of roasts beef and mozzarella. Then there are the Polish dishes that Birchwood is most proud of, like their ultimate Pu-Pu platter, loaded with potato pancakes, kielbasa and kraut, onion rings, wings and spare ribs. If you're hankering for some true Polish fare, you can choose from pierogi, kielbasa, and golomki, which is cabbage stuffed with a delicious blend of chopped meat, rice, onions, peppers and spices.

Birchwood on the Park also offers patrons nightly specials. Monday is community night, where Birchwood gives back by offering a $5 all-you-can – eat buffet and $3 drafts to all the hardworking emergency services personnel. Two for Tuesdays at Birchwood offers patrons two pints and two burgers with a choice of toppings for only $20. Wednesday is Ladies Night, where ladies enjoy half-price dinner specials, half-price alcoholic drinks and $3 bottled beers. Thursday is wing night with all-you-can-eat wings for $18. Yum! Happy Hour specials on Friday and Saturday include half-price drinks and select appetizers. On Sunday, patrons can enjoy a delicious prime rib dinner for just $18 and $16 for seniors.

On the weekend, Birchwood caters to the "younger" crowd with a live band every Friday night starting at 10 p.m., and on Saturday, DJ Phil spins the hottest songs from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Birchwood on the Park has it all – great food at affordable prices, a dedicated and knowledgeable staff and a comfortable atmosphere. It's a place to go and enjoy some of your favorite dishes throughout the week, and get your party hats on during the weekend.

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Good Cake Gone Red

It's fluffy, it's red, and it's the latest craze in storefront windows up and down Broadway. No, it's not the lovable tickle-me-Elmo doll. Here's another clue: it's edible. You may be wrinkling your nose, wondering what you would eat that's red and fluffy. But Red Velvet cake has become so popular in bakeries around the city that it sells out fresh from of the oven. However, where exactly it came from and why it's so popular remains a bit of a mystery, even to experts of the culinary world.

The general consensus is that Red Velvet cake originated in the South. This claim was substantiated when it gained notoriety in the great 80s movie, "Steel Magnolias." It's been available at the famous Greenwich Village bakery Magnolia since it opened ten years ago. Magnolia specializes in southern desserts, and Red Velvet has been its most popular cake since the beginning. Now, Magnolia-like bakeries can be found all over New York, and most of them carry Red Velvet cake or its little cupcake counterparts.

Red Velvet cake got another big boost when southern belle Jessica Simpson chose it for her wedding cake when she married Nick Lachey in 2002. But was it the pure aesthetic quality of a gooey red cake lined with creamy white icing that drew Simpson and others to this unparalleled cake? Or is there something more to it than our usual go-to yellow cake or the devil's food that has enticed generations of finger-licking pleasure?

The truth is, there's a lot of controversy over the cake, and a wide variety in the quality around the city. Some cakes are rich without being too sweet, but others taste like nothing more than a yellow cake dyed blood red.

While Red Velvet is often considered a type of chocolate cake, there is sometimes no chocolate in the ingredients. This, some bakers argue, cannot be real Red Velvet. Even if only a touch of cocoa is used, it is a necessary ingredient. However, using cocoa creates a problem: the batter is darkened by the cocoa, and therefore more difficult to turn red. Some bakeries admit to using a regular yellow cake mix and dumping red food coloring into it.

One story links the origins of Red Velvet cake to the Waldorf-Astoria. Apparently, it became a signature dish there back in the 1920s, and the hotel still gets so many requests for it that it remains on the room service menu. However, the executive chef there, John Doherty, expressed disgust at the use of food coloring, and said that they use beets to color the batter. Other bakers use cherries, but many stick to the food coloring. For example, Perfect Endings, the bakery in Napa, California that was in charge of Jessica Simpson's wedding, had to go with the food coloring. The owner, Sam Godfrey, learned the recipe from his grandmother, an Arkansas native. "I tried cherries and beets," he explained. "But it wasn't right. Then I decided to honor my grandmother, so I went ahead with the food coloring."

Many foodies turn up their noses at Red Velvet cake, but it is selling out bakeries around the city. You'll have to sample for yourself to see which side of the fence you stand.

Ingredients:
1 cup vegetable shortening
2 eggs
1 1/2 cups sugar
1 teaspoon cocoa powder
2 ounces red food coloring
2 1/2 cups cake flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup buttermilk
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon vinegar
White frosting, recipe follows
White Frosting:
2 tablespoons flour
1 cup milk
1 cup unsalted butter
1 cup confectioners' sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Directions:

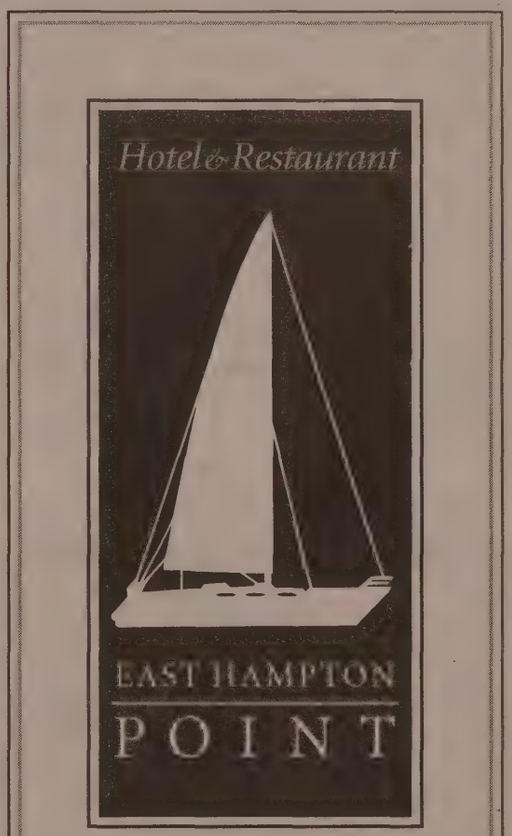
Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.

In the bowl of a mixer, cream together the shortening, eggs and sugar. In a separate small bowl, mix together the cocoa and food coloring. Add the paste to the shortening mixture. Sift the flour and salt together over parchment. Add to the batter alternately with the buttermilk in 3 additions. Add the vanilla extract. Fold in the baking soda and vinegar. Pour the batter into 2 greased 9-inch cake pans. Bake for 30 minutes or until an inserted cake tester comes out clean. Let cool on a cooling rack. Invert the cakes from the pans.

Frosting: Over medium heat, cook the flour and milk until thickened. Let cool. In the bowl of an electric mixer, cream together the butter, sugar and vanilla until light and fluffy. Beat in the flour mixture.

Frost the top of the first layer with frosting and set the second layer on top. Frost the entire cake with remaining frosting.

-Emily J Weitz



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Side Dish

By Aji Jones

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Almondito in East Hampton will celebrate Cinco de Mayo all weekend, starting on Friday, May 4 until Sunday, May 6 beginning at 6 p.m. The celebration will feature $5 margaritas and $5 bocaditos (little bites) at the bar all night. The regular menu will be available with some traditional Cinco de Mayo specials in the dining room. For further information call Almondito at (631) 329-6700.

Marking its second season, **Harbor Bistro** in East Hampton will open on Friday, May 4 at 5 p.m. Under new ownership since mid-2006, the waterfront restaurant is a joint venture for East Hampton natives Patrick and Ann Glennon, their daughter Nicole O'Donnell and her husband Executive Chef Damien O'Donnell. Appetizers range from $8 to $16 and include toasted corn and jumbo lump crab cake in a savory remoulade. Salads range from $8 to $12. Entrées, ranging in price from $14 to $36, include pistachio crusted tilapia with crispy risotto cake and Tahitian vanilla lobster butter; sausage and farfalle di olio with caramelized onions, broccoli rabe, and shaved Parmesan. Desserts range from $6 to $9 and include molten chocolate tower with raspberry sauce and vanilla bean ice cream, warm peach and almond cake with vanilla ice cream, raspberries, and caramel; and profiteroles covered in chocolate sauce. For reservations or further information on the restaurant, call Harbor Bistro at (631) 324-7300.

Exquisite Food in East Hampton will offer a new gourmet drop-off service beginning this May. Now people with large families, weekend guests, or those who simply want gourmet comfort food can order it. The menu is varied, requests are welcome, and custom menus are available. Cost varies depending on the items and number of guests. Made-to-order items will be available for delivery on the South Fork until September. There is a delivery surcharge for Southampton and Montauk locations. To place an order or for more information about Exquisite Food, please call (631) 827-6000 or visit www.hamptonsexquisitefood.com.

The Plaza Cafe in Southampton has added some new menu items. New menu items include: Peconic Bay oysters with tomato horseradish granita and wasabi tobiko; Tourchon of Hudson Valley foie gras with walnut raisin bread, rhubarb compote and apple balsamic syrup; Plaza Café's lobster shepherd's pie with local lobster, shrimp, wild mushrooms, peas and chive potato crust; and grilled Cooper Ridge prime sirloin steak (cooked to your liking) with Portobello, fingerling potatoes, sautéed spinach in a port wine sauce. The Plaza Café is still offering their $30 three-course prix fixe menu, Monday-Thursday from 5:30-6:45 p.m. For reservations or further information call The Plaza Café at (631) 283-9323.

Southampton Publick House is once again hosting their annual beer dinner on Thursday, May 10 at 7 p.m. This year's festivities kick off with a beer-sampling hour until 8 p.m. followed by a four-course dinner paired with specially selected beers. Tickets are $60 per person plus tax and gratuity. Reservations are required. For further information, call Southampton Publick House at (631) 283-2800 or visit www.publick.com.

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Arts & Galleries

ART COMMENTARY With Marion Wolberg Weiss

BILL KING AT PAMELA WILLIAMS GALLERY

Last week, a respected art critic lamented the fact that there weren't many surprises here in the Hamptons. No doubt, he was talking about the lack of innovative, exciting work in the galleries. This critic can see his point and yet disagree at the same time.

Seeing Bill King's sculpture at the Pamela Williams Gallery in Amagansett proves that there are, indeed, surprises left on the East End and there always will be when King shows his work. No matter that some pieces in the current exhibit are from the late 1980s and early 1990s. They are still as fresh and varied as the ones created in 2007. (Four of these are also in the show.)

It's not so hard to characterize King's sculpture, even at first glance – funny, ironic, insightful about human nature and self-effacing. And, oh yes, the figures are usually long and narrow, like King's own physical demeanor. Last year's show at Pamela Williams Gallery conveyed a different aspect of King's "characters." Yours truly called it "conceptual art" and attempted to demonstrate that the multiple configurations positioned ideas over images.

The present display features mostly singular forms, however, which don't suggest that the work is less complex, just more like what we've come to expect. And yet, what we expect from this artist goes well beyond a superficial interpretation. Yes, his work is humorous, ironic and insightful. Within that context, however, we can discover layers of diverse meanings.

Consider King's "Amore" (2007). The figure is made of red polyester with two aluminum heads. One "face" (without a body) is kissing the face of the figure. Initially, it appears to be showing two characters in love, although it also seems a distorted view. On second thought, it also could be the depiction of self-love, a less than lofty trait. (King does have a sculpture called "Narcissus" (2007) in the show as well.) The red material may also have a double meaning it represents both passion (for romantic love) and blood (for destructive love).

Photo by M.W. Weiss

"Crisis"

Color and material both predominate in other pieces to convey varied meanings. For example, the gold shirt in "Early Retirement" may be a signifier for riches possessed or riches to be obtained. Moreover, polyester as a fabric is not a substantial one like cotton or silk – perhaps the figure's gold shirt and wealth is only temporary.

That King's choice of materials holds a significant place in his themes is another discovery, going well beyond simple interpretations. So too, is his selection of bronze over pine, for example. Consider his "Crisis" (1996) where wood (pine) seems more flexible and malleable, thus suggesting that the crisis will soon abate.

Even with the possibility of multiple meanings, King's sculptures maintain an essential core of truth, no matter what the interpretation.

Bill King's show will be on view at the Pamela Williams Gallery in Amagansett until May 28.

Honoring the Artist: Daniel Pollera

Although it was a bleak week in Daniel Pollera's household, the *Dan's Papers'* cover artist was still his warm and optimistic self, despite the sense of great loss he felt from his mother's death. The last time he was on the cover, Mr. Pollera spoke about his mother and the family values he shared with her. That conversation reverberates in the following comments.

Q: Your mom left a great legacy to you and your family. We can see it in your paintings, their sense of intimacy, capturing a mood that centers on simple things, like home and nature. They have a nourishing quality. What did your Mom leave in terms of personal values that you especially cherish?

A: There were so many things – taking time to enjoy your family, the importance of compassion, recognizing other people's feelings, taking the time to understand why people are acting a certain way. My mother left a legacy to her grandchildren too. They watched how we took care of their grandmother. My son was home and took care of her as well.

Q: What do you remember particularly about growing up with your mother? What characterized how she acted, how family life was?

A: This was her philosophy – "Come to my table and eat." That was our family. Whenever you went to our relatives (I remember visiting my uncle and aunt,) the food always came out. Same with my parents. If Joe Shmo from the neighborhood came over with a friend, out came the pasta. It was a small community then.

Q: I think you're probably the same way. I can imagine you cooking for friends and family at a drop of the hat. Or at least, you like to cook a lot. For example, what is a favorite dish? Give us the recipe.

A: I love to cook, especially veal marsala. Cook the veal in olive oil and breadcrumbs. Remove the veal. What's left in the skillet is part of the sauce. Cook thin sliced mushrooms with butter, tossing them as you go. Add opici marsala wine, maybe a little flour. The wine is the secret.

Q: I'm getting hungry. How about any recipes you got from your mom?

A: She had a great recipe for combining hotdogs, fresh garlic, potatoes and peppers.

Q: You said food "goes to your heart." That reminds me of a documentary Martin Scorsese made about his parents in their Elizabeth Street apartment in New York. A lot of it was Mrs. Scorsese making pasta sauce. It was a charming segment. As is your own recipe. Besides the idea of food as both a substance and a metaphor for values, what else do you think is important to be happy?

A: After my family, my passion is art, of course. You don't need a lot to be happy – simple is good. You just have to keep your feet on the ground. If I won the lottery, I wouldn't buy a bigger boat. I have one in the yard, but I prefer to go out on a small one with my dog; it's more intimate. I can sail into my dream world.

Q: When we look at your paintings, like the one on the cover called "Majestic View," with the porch, we can sail into our own dream world as well.

A: I hope so.

– Marion Wolberg Weiss

Mr. Pollera's work can be seen at Southampton's Chrysalis Gallery.

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ART EVENTS

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BIRNAM WOOD GALLERIES – Located at 52 Park Place, East Hampton. Call 631-324-6010 or visit www.birnamwoodart.com.

BOLTAX GALLERY – "Breakup Paintings" by Nuala Clarke. Will run through May 21. Open Fri. through Sun. from 11 a.m.- 6 p.m. and by appointment. Reception May 5, 5-8 p.m. Located at 21 North Ferry Road (Route 114), Shelter Island. Call 631-749-4062.

BRAVURA ART GALLERY – "Tschacbasov" will run through May 28. Opening reception May 5 from 5-8 p.m. Gallery is open Thursday to Monday, 11 a.m.- 5 p.m., except Sunday from noon, and by appointment. Located at 22 Nugent Street, Southampton. Call 631-259-2605.

CELADON GALLERY – Located at 41 Old Mill Road, next to the Water Mill Museum in Water Mill. Call 631-726-2547.

CELLAR GALLERY – "Art@Cellar," curated by Karyn Mannix and Vito Sisti. Featuring Mary Antczak, Trish Franey and Jana Hayden. Will run through May 17. Open daily. Located at 25 Hampton Road, Southampton. Call 631-259-2313 or visit www.karynmannix.com.

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LEVITAS ART CENTER – "Where We Live" by JoAnn Corretti, President of the Southampton Artists Association. Will run through May 11 12-4 p.m. Closed Mon. and Tues. Located at Pond Rd. and Jobs Ln. in Southampton. Call 631-298-1078.

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PARRISH ART MUSEUM – "Raymond Loewy: Designs for a Consumer Culture." Located at 25 Jobs Lane, Southampton. Call 631-283-2118.

PHOENIX FINE ART GALLERY – Presenting "Views and Vistas," highlighting the work of Eleanor Duncker and Jackie Gannon. Will run through May 27. Located at 139 South Country Rd., Bellport. Call 631-776-0811.

POLLOCK-KRASNER HOUSE – "Picturing Artists (1950s-1960s): Photographs by Dan Budnik." An exhibition of thirteen dye transfer prints and two gelatin silver prints. Will run through July 28. Located at 830 Springs-Fireplace Rd., East Hampton. Call 631-324-4929.

ROMANY KRAMORIS GALLERY – Christopher Engel's Ancestors will be exhibited through May 7. Located at 41 Main Street, Sag Harbor. Call 631-725-2499.

ROSS SCHOOL GALLERY – "Through the Eyes of a Dreamer" featuring an exhibition curated by Ross 7th grade students. Will run through May. Located at Ross School, 18 Goodfriend Drive, East Hampton.

RVS FINE ART – Exhibiting a preview of work by artists that will be featured this summer. Will run through May 7. Open Sat. 12-5 p.m. and by appointment through May. Located at 20 Jobs Lane, Southampton. Call 631-283-8546.

SARA NIGHTINGALE GALLERY – "Easy Green" by Melanie Fischer and Sue McNally, and "Daily Markings on the Face of the Earth" by Sarah Trigg will be exhibited through May 17. Gallery hours 11 a.m.- 5 p.m. daily, or by appointment. Located at 668 Montauk Highway, Water Mill. Call 631-726-0076 or visit www.saranightingale.com.

SILAS MARDER GALLERY – Gallery hours are Fri. 12-5 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.- 5 p.m., and Sun. 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. Located at Snake Hollow Road, Bridgehampton. Call 631-702-2306.

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SOUTHAMPTON HISTORICAL MUSEUM – The exhibit "Anatomy of a Whale" by an unknown artist will run through May 19. Located at 17 Meeting House Ln., Southampton. Call 631-283-2494.

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PICK OF THE WEEK
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SURFACE LIBRARY GALLERY – Presenting the first of several slated shows entitled "Graffik Material" featuring new works by James Kennedy and Bob Bachler. Will run through May 6. Gallery open Thurs.-Sun. 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Call 631-291-9061.

TULLA BOOTH GALLERY – "Spring Preview" featuring photography by John Picker, Danny Rosenberg, Jim Spencer and Nick Tarr. Gallery hours are Fri.-Mon. 12:30 - 7 p.m. and Sat. 12:30 - 8 p.m. Located at 66 Main Street, Sag Harbor. Call 631-725-3100.

UBS PAINEWEBBER FINANCIAL SERVICES – Work by Hampton Bays artist, David E. Kornrumpf, will be exhibited through May 18. Located at 8 Main St., in Southampton. Call 631-287-1300.

VERED GALLERY – Open Thurs., Sun., Mon., 11 a.m.- 6 p.m., Fri. 11 a.m.- 7 p.m., Sat. 11 a.m.- 9 p.m. Located at 68 Park Place Passage, East Hampton. Call 631-324-3303 or visit www.veredart.com.

THE WINTER TREE GALLERY – "Erotic Art Show" with artwork from eight contemporary artists. Will run through May 19. Open daily 12-7 p.m. except Tues. Located at 125 Main Street, Sag Harbor. Call 631-725-0097.

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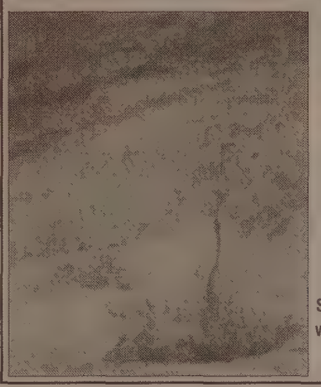

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Fresh Face for Spring

Spring has arrived and people are out and about in droves. But it seems that everyone I come across has a bad case of spring fever. They either want to look good for their partner or are on a mission to find that special someone before the summer officially gets underway. There are even those who simply want to shed their winter skin for a fresh new look.

With this in mind, it's the perfect time of year to reconsider your make-up, hair and clothing to lighten the load of the winter we've all been unconsciously carrying around for months. During the winter we cover our bodies, hair and faces. So this week, we're talking about lightening our make-up and shedding the layers that we've been coating on and changing to be more spring-like. We'll also touch on some make-up trends for this season.

During the winter months we tend to wear thicker foundation, heavier eyes and darker, stronger lipsticks. But as Spring blooms and begins to bud with perfect pinks, luscious greens, blossoms in blues abound, so should we.

It's time to ditch your foundation if you feel you can and, if you're comfortable, go bare. Perhaps just use a little concealer under the eyes and on blemishes. Laura Mercier Secret concealer is a great product to use for just $22. My all time favorite is YSL Radiant Touch and it works like a dream. If you really need a little more coverage, try to choose a very light powder and use it sparingly.

Definitely go with a little bronzer to give a sun-kissed appearance, without the harmful UV Rays. There's a new bronzer on the market called Fusion

Beauty, GlowFusion, for $39, which allegedly contains natural ingredients that act as muscle inhibitors to prevent wrinkles. It also contains vitamin C, which Fusion Beauty claims decreases dark spots and helps balance skin tone. It also contains vitamin E that helps to fight free radicals and prevents premature aging. Bottom line, when wearing any bronzer, you don't need to be in the sun to achieve color. Bronzers and self-tanners for the face are definitely worth the investment in time, money and effort.

This year, the eyes have it and they're getting a splash of color. Take, for instance, Bobbi Brown's new make-up line, aptly named Surf and Sand. The Surf and Sand eye eallette contains shades of blues, sands and pinks, and costs $42. Bobbi Brown explains, "There's nothing more beautiful than a wash of shimmering aqua on eyes paired with fresh pops of color on cheeks and lips."

This is a great look for an evening event, but in my very humble opinion, there's nothing that looks more fresh for spring and any casual environment than a sweep of mascara, natural face, a hint of color on the cheeks and just some sheer gloss for the lips. Don't forget to manicure your eyebrows at all times for a fresh, polished look. Eyebrows frame the face and are extremely important in our overall appearance. So keep them shaped nicely. If you have bare spots, be sure to fill them in delicately with a pencil or powder. You might want to look into eyebrow kits to help with shaping.

For an upscale, dressy occasion try blue or green eyeshadow and be adventurous by trying some blue Mascara, too. A little shimmer of silver or gold in small doses is very apt this spring and summer. Metallics are also extremely hot at the moment, even more so than they were last year.

Lip gloss is a must-have item, whether dressing up, or just popping out to the farmers market. Try wearing it in fun bright, but light colors to spark up your face and give it a glossy fresh glow. For the evening, I've seen a big trend in bright red matt lipstick, coupled with mascara only eyes, defined brows and just a hint of color on the cheeks. But this is a daring and difficult look to pull off, so be careful that you don't look like a ten-year old who just raided her Mom's make-up bag. If in doubt, use a lip pencil and fill in with some fun lip gloss, try the new blue hues and call it a day.

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Although mineral makeup has been around for decades, it seems like it just recently took the beauty industry by storm. Once used primarily by makeup artists and plastic surgery patients, these all-natural products have become all the rage. Women everywhere are wild about this pure form of makeup that leaves their faces with a radiant, flawless complexion.

Mineral makeup contains no talc, alcohol, perfumes, dyes, mineral oil or preservatives and is made from naturally occurring minerals, including titanium dioxide and zinc oxide. Both of these components provide sun protection. The pure minerals are mined from the earth and crushed into fine powder for us to wear. Unlike many traditional beauty products, mineral makeup is based on a hypoallergenic loose powder that nourishes the skin.

Nowadays, it seems like everyone is trying to improve the quality of their lives, so it is no wonder that mineral makeup sales have skyrocketed. According to mineral makeup companies, their products are beneficial to women with sensitive skin who struggle with acne, dryness and clogged pores. They claim it enhances the skin, instead of causing more problems. It's almost like adding a silky layer on top of your own skin and many loyal buyers say they get compliments all the time on how great their skin looks, instead of how great their makeup looks.

Late night infomercials for i.d. bareMinerals, a company that has been around since 1976, claim their makeup is so pure that you can sleep in it. Some users apply their makeup the night before if they have to be up early the next morning. On the i.d. bareMinerals website, an independent clinical study shows that their products are naturally beneficial for all skin types, including dry, aging skin; oily skin and rosacea-prone skin, because it's completely free of additives, preservatives, fragrances and talc.

Mineral makeup is also known for diminishing the appearance of wrinkles. Most traditional powders tend to cake in the areas of the face where crow's feet and fine lines are present, creating the illusion of even deeper lines. But mineral makeup actually conceals wrinkles and hydrates the skin. It lets your skin breathe and doesn't feel like a mask, yet provides seamless coverage. It can also be used after skin treatments such as facials, peels and laser procedures. The minerals soothe the skin and speed up the healing process, whereas traditional makeup products would cause further irritation.

Perhaps the most beneficial feature of mineral makeup is that it protects the skin from the sun's harmful rays. With the plethora of information available on how to prevent skin cancer, there is no excuse to not protect your skin. Applying sunscreen can be a hassle, but mineral makeup eliminates that step, as many mineral-based products offer an SPF ranging from 20 to 30.

There are so many positive aspects to these natural products and the world is catching on. My co-workers here at *Dan's Papers* are no exception. Nicole Caruso, our Production Director, swears by mineral makeup products. "I discovered mineral makeup about two years ago and I will never go back. It feels smooth and silky on my skin and has wonderful coverage." Joan Gray, Assistant to the Publisher, also wears mineral makeup. "It feels lighter and healthier on my face and doesn't cake on my skin. I also love that it doesn't cause blemishes when I forget to wash it off."

Companies also make mineral blush, bronzer, shimmers and other products that are good for your skin. Healthy beauty is in and processed makeup is out. Although it is impossible for any kind of makeup to cure all your skin problems, mineral makeup is the healthiest and most environmentally friendly way to enhance your natural beauty.

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Dan's HOME

Fiesta! Feliz Cinco de Mayo

Today, in the United States, Cinco de Mayo serves as an opportunity to celebrate Mexican culture. It is also a sort of unofficial summer kick-off party for many on the East End. After the 5th of May, the sky seems a little bit clearer, the ocean a little bit warmer and the air smells a little bit sweeter. It's an excuse to invite friends and family out for a party. Obviously, as it's the first party of the season, it's important that it's a great one.

With cultural holidays and parties, it's crucial to know what you're celebrating. Cinco de Mayo, contrary to most American belief, is not Mexican Independence Day, which is actually September 16. Cinco de Mayo is a celebration of the battle of Puebla where the Mexican army overcame an offensive sent by Napoleon III of France in 1862. Napoleon III was attempting to overthrow the government and install a French-friendly monarchy that would allow the French to spread power through much of Central and South America. Through the next year the French would actually overtake the government and the victory of 1682 is still widely celebrated today throughout Mexico and the United States. As you can tell, though, over the years, Cinco de Mayo has morphed into a celebration of Mexican culture and ethnicity.

Here are a few essential elements for every Cinco de Mayo party. First and foremost, get outside. Make sure that most of the party is arranged outside for people to be enjoying the warm spring weather. No one minds spending time outside in May. To really enjoy the weather, set up shop by the beach. Nothing sets the mood like sitting in a beach chair, sipping on a long neck and imagining you're in a Corona commercial.

Second is the food. It's easy to throw together chips with salsa or even guacamole, but being more imaginative will pay off in a big way. This doesn't mean spending the entire week slaving away in the kitchen to come up with chicken mole or carne asada for your party. My favorite Cinco de Mayo meal is "make your own tacos." Go to the store and buy tortillas, vegetables, cheeses, sour cream, salsa and hot sauce. Then, grill some chicken and steak and leave all the ingredients out for everyone to make their own tacos. It's easy to put together, its fun for everyone to make and it's always a hit because your guests will make their tacos the way *they* like them.

With good Mexican food should, of course, come great Mexican drinks. Let's start with beer. Most people think instantly of Corona or Dos Equis when it comes to Mexican beer, but there is much more depth to be had. Go to the beer barn and pick out some Pacifico, Leon, Sol or, my favorite, Negra Modelo. They're all more exotic and many are better than Corona. Now, as I'm sure you were planning on, you need to have nice tequila around. There are three different types of tequila (Blanco, Reposado and Anejo) so do a little research before you buy for your party, as some are better to mix and some are better on the rocks. For the kids, see if you can't find Mexican soft drinks like Jaritos that come in different flavors such as guava and tamarindo.

Music is also important. Depending on what kind of a mood you're looking to set, you can fill your stereo with everything from The Gipsy Kings to mariachi music to something from today's Latin charts. I think the best idea is a mixture of all three on an iPod playlist. With children there, it might be a good idea to keep the music changing and have something else for them to do other than eat. Throwing out a soccer or wiffle ball and bat usually serves as enough entertainment for the kids, and some adults too.

Whatever you do for your ultimate Cinco de Mayo party, remember to relax and have fun. No need to stress over what should be an easy, casual party. Summer is just around the corner, the weather is warming up and you've got an entire summer in the Hamptons to look forward to. So pour yourself a heaping Margarita and get ready for Cinco de Mayo.

– David L. Baron

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Scrubless Solutions

My bathroom was filthy. I moved to a new set of digs about two months ago and it was like the bathroom had never been cleaned. The grout between the floor tiles was almost black and the grout on the shower walls was equally stained. There was mold and mildew on the caulking, and God knows what else that I couldn't see.

I tried a few techniques in cleaning the place. Being a lazy man, I thought I could get away without exerting much effort. First I sprayed Lysol Tube and Tile Cleaner with Bleach, but that wasn't effective without some serious scrub work. The same was true of Clorox Bleach Pen. In less-stained places the pen seemed to whiten the areas, but as soon as I went over the seriously stained spots, it was useless. Soft Scrub with Bleach probably worked the best out of all the cleaners I used, and after an hour and a half of scrubbing with a hard bristled brush, rinsing and repeating, the grout on the floor had returned to off-white and the shower tile grout reached the same, if not a cleaner, look. The thick layer of soap scum was also gone by the time I finished. Some of the mildew remained, especially in the silicon caulking along the tub, but if you ask me the cleaning was a success. While it is great that the bathroom now sparkles, keeping it that way could become exhausting.

My life doesn't dictate spending a few hours a month scrubbing the tiles in my bathroom, so I have been looking into keeping the room clean with as little effort as possible. Scrubless cleaners may be the answer.

Before we get into cleaning products, let's examine some of the problems you may face in your bathroom.

Soap scum is a big one. Though not as unattractive looking as mildew and mold, a soap scum buildup can be really displeasing to the eye, especially on glass doors. The reason soap scum appears is due to a reaction between the minerals in the water and the soap, creating a residue, which though is thin, builds up after each interaction.

Mildew is a living organism that needs water and food to survive. The water source is obvious, but the food part may not be. As you clean fats and oils from your body, they mix with the soap and get deposited on the tiles and grout. This mixture allows for mildew to grow.

Now that you have the basic idea of what you are fighting against, here are some low-effort options for getting rid of them. Scrubbing Bubbles has a product for every chore. To clean the bathroom they've got an aerosol spray. They've got trigger sprays for soap scum and mildew remover. The directions are to spray, wait, then wipe clean. Pretty easy, right? To make things even easier they have a product called Shower Shine, a daily after-shower spray. This little concoction prevents mildew and soap scum from building up while it keeps the shower sparklingly clean. But their newest gadget is probably the most interesting. Just push a button and walk away. The Automatic Shower Cleaner hangs from your showerhead. When you finish your shower, you push a button on the battery operated cleaning device. It beeps for 15 seconds, giving you ample time to get out of the way and close the shower door or curtain. When ready, it automatically sprays its cleaning solution a distance of eight feet. The sprayer spins, so all the walls get covered with cleaner. You don't have to do anything.

If you're one of those folks who love infomercials, you'll probably remember products like Kaboom and OxiClean. As annoying as those hosts may be, the products really do seem to work. For Kaboom, just spray, wait three minutes and rinse. OxiClean also works and is marketed as being better for the environment. It cleans through a basic chemical reaction that releases oxygen bubbles to help remove stains. It doesn't contain chlorine or bleach and therefore is safer to use.

While these items seem to get the job done in a fairly clean bathroom, the truth is, nothing really does the trick like a hard day of scrubbing. Once you have gotten your bathroom thoroughly cleaned, you can use these products to help keep the tile shining. If you're really looking for a no effort way to clean the bathroom, the only surefire way is to hire someone else to do the work for you.

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So you've built your dream house in the Hamptons, with its blooming, manicured gardens, perfectly trimmed hedges and beautiful décor. But something is still missing, perhaps a little nod to the days of Old Hollywood mansions and the tranquility their gardens possessed, with their long green corridors of hedged paths and the gentle lapping of the water in their Koi ponds filled with elegant fish splashed with color. Although keeping a traditional English garden with acres of hedges to groom might not be feasible in this day and age, having a tranquil pond full of Koi is most certainly possible.

So, what is a "Koi," exactly? They may look like giant goldfish, but they are actually a type of Japanese carp with fancy fins and brightly colored scales. A gregarious fish, schools of Koi will often follow their owner from one end of the pond to the other with their heads peeking out of the water, hoping for a piece of fruit or a sprinkle of fish food. In Japan, they are called *niskikigoi* – literally, "brocaded carp" – and are a symbol of love and friendship believed to bring good luck to their owners. Before the 1980s, Koi ponds were reserved for Chinese and Japanese nobility and the extremely wealthy few who could afford to import the fish and have someone care for them from Asia. With the advent of safe, efficient shipping

techniques, Koi ponds became a favorite diversion in lavish homes, hotels and public venues across the globe. A hearty fish, Koi are able to withstand the rigors of living outdoors in almost any climate.

Here in the Hamptons, there is only one person who can design, build, stock and take care of any size Koi pond year-round, Reptile Rob. You might remember his eponymous shop on Montauk Highway in Hampton Bays filled with exotic reptiles from all over the world. Rob still keeps a fair amount of reptiles and other creatures in the little shop adjacent to his house in East Quogue, but these days, he has switched gears to concentrate on building and taking care of fanciful backyard ponds all over the East End.

When building a client's dream pond, Rob believes that "the sky's the limit." He and his staff can build anything, from a three-by-five-foot goldfish pond with a mini waterfall, to a yard-sized pondscape with an intricate network of bridges, gorgeous plants and dozens of beautiful fish. Before any ground is broken, Rob asks his clients to find pictures of different features they would like to incorporate into their pond. Then, "I take their ideas and I make them happen," Rob promises. Although some projects may take up to two weeks to complete, most projects take less than a day to complete. "I have eleven guys," he explained. "When we have a pond job that's pretty big, we all go."

If you are cringing at the thought of taking care of an enormous fish tank – changing water, adding chemicals, treating sick fish and cleaning the filter – don't worry. The beauty of having your pond built and cared for by Reptile Rob is that all you need to do is enjoy it. "The homeowners don't have to do anything," Rob promises. "We take care of the opening, the closing, the maintenance the stocking. If the fish get sick, we can help diagnose them. I can help treat them, but if it's out of my hands, I also have a doctor that I can refer them to."

Having a Koi pond built by Rob and his staff is perhaps the only way to have a beautiful, thriving pond ecosystem without having to do a single water change or clean a single speck of algae from a rock. If a certain piece of your yard or patio is in need of some color, or if the sound of a gently splashing waterfall seems like the perfect accompaniment to your next garden party, give Rob a call and make your Hamptons dream home come to life.

Reptile Rob's Ponds and Pets is located on the corner of Montauk Highway and Carter Lane in East Quogue, directly across the street from the Empire gas station. For more information, please call (631) 653-3300 or email ReptileRobs@yahoo.com.

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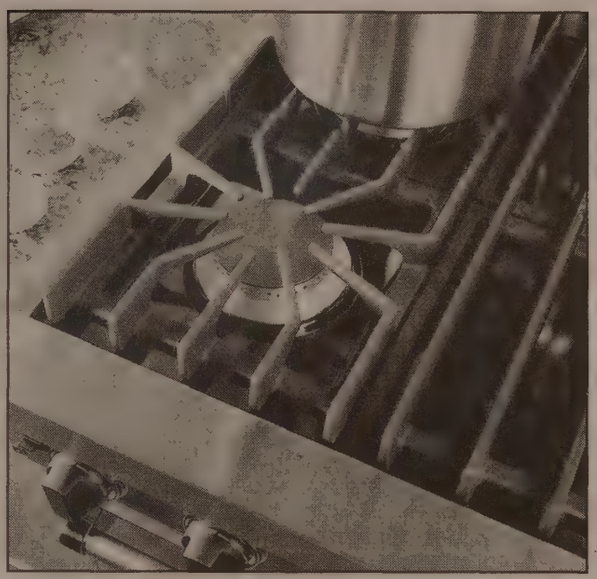
Fire It Up!

The kitchen has long been the heart of a house. It's a place people are drawn to by the smell of something simmering on the stovetop and the place where children and grown-ups alike congregate around the pot anxiously awaiting a better look at what's beneath the lid. And with all these people around, the kitchen's most popular cooking surface, the cooktop has naturally evolved into a stylish high-tech kitchen tool.

No longer are the days of the ugly black elevated coiled elements with silver foil drip pans. The newest cooktops are the crown jewel of the kitchen with advanced features and a range of cool new looks to suit every chef's needs.

According to Bob of Bob Stevens Appliances in Westhampton Beach, "gas and electric are equally as popular." However, if you want to cook like a pro, gas powered heat is the only way to go. Preferred by professional chefs because it reaches higher temperatures than electric heat, gas options are available on most of today's cooktops. Gas heat can help you produce restaurant quality results.



Viking, Thermador and GE dominate the brand name game. All of which offer cooktops in black, white, bisque (which is currently being phased out – get it while it lasts) and the most popular option is stainless steel.

If you want to get dinner on the table faster, a star shaped burner will accelerate cooking by increasing surface heat 53 percent. Jade manufactures an eight burner cooktop with four high-powered, high-heat burners for jobs like searing fish, however all eight burners can be turned to low heat for jobs like simmering sauces.

Viking cooktops have the option of a continuous grate, which allows for the chef to easily slide large pots and pans from burner to burner without lifting, which is especially helpful during jobs like boiling large pots of water for pasta. Also many of the newest Viking cooktops come with heated overhead glass shelves for warming plates and keeping food warm.

Love your Ipod? Jenair offers sleek knob less cooktops with a flat touchpad control reminiscent of your Ipod's click wheel. Simply push a button to designate a burner and then slide your finger across the temperature control (just like you're turning up the volume) to set the desired temperature. Also included on the control panel is a locking button to help prevent accidents.

Perhaps the best advancement in cooking technology is the induction cooktop. Only the pot and what's inside get hot not the flat cooking surface. "It's the fastest means of cooking and best in temperature control. All lines will feature induction cooking more heavily in the late summer and fall," said Bob Stevens.

The inside of the cooktop contains coils made of magnetic material and when a current passes through the coil it produces a magnetic field that transfers to the pan above it. The pan and its contents get hot, while the cooktop and the air above it stays cool, thus when the pan is removed the energy transfer stops. Because the surface never gets hot and the heat can only be generated by a magnetic field, the induction cooktop is the ultimate in safety especially for homes with small children. Induction heat boils water twice as fast as normal cooktops, is 10-20% more energy efficient than a conventional stovetop and is a breeze to clean because the surface never gets hot. Its only drawback is that steel cookware must be used to generate the necessary magnetic field.

Want a custom cooking surface? The modular cooktop by Gaggenau offers some fun mix and match options. These 15" stainless steel, in-counter, drop in units allow you to create your own unique combinations for a custom cooktop. Insert options include an electric or gas barbeque grill, a deep fryer, a four quart in-counter steamer, a gas, electric or glass ceramic cooktop, a gas powered wok, an induction cooktop or the Teppen Yaki griddle for hibachi style cooking. Choose as many as you need!

No matter the size of your kitchen you can still cook like a pro. Just because you're short on space doesn't mean you have to skimp on style. For the smaller urban kitchen there are 15" and 30" options available from major brands like Thermador with star-shaped burners, ergonomic control panels, induction cooktops and more. If you want a large cooktop, some professional ranges come as large as 48" and can cost $5,000.

With so many choices in cooktops such as gas, electric or induction heat in black, white or stainless steel with 2, 4, 6, or 8 burners controlled by knobs or touch pad, there are no more excuses to order takeout!

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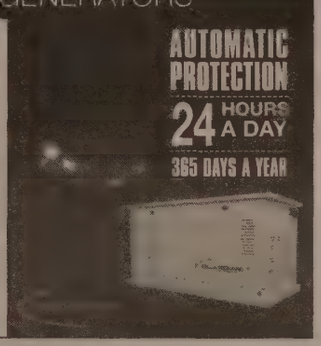

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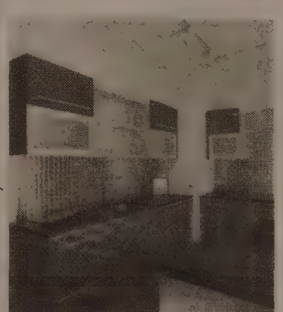

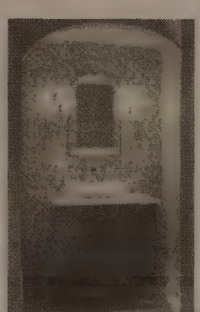

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Buddha's Delight

Japanese gardens are not formulaic in design, instead, seeking to reflect the unique surroundings of its environment. These gardens seem easily identifiable with their frequent use of water, rocks and distinctively crafted miniature buildings, but there is no one-way to employ any of these features. Originally, these gardens were representative of popular, Asian-thought systems. Buddhism recognizes interdependence and oneness of all things, while Shintoism seeks to link the living with all-pervading natural spirits and power; gardens gave forum to such philosophies. Today, it is the Japanese garden aesthetic that appeals, evoking tranquility and remaining in accordance with the existing landscape.

The most basic principle to remember when creating a Japanese garden is that less is more. The few elements and features that do appear should be employed with extreme intention. The garden's purpose is not to be a display in the face of the natural setting, but to be one with it. Materials in the garden should be natural, so opt for elements that are raw and distinct in their usage of rock, wood, greens, and water. Colors should be limited, with earth tones primary, and perhaps one or two striking points, such as

a red-leafed maple or a leaf-heavy, sparsely flowered azalea bush. Visitors to the garden should look at the elements with particular emphasis on form and shape. Japanese gardens go for the true awe-factor in their meticulous purposefulness, not the cheap win from the overly exotic that border on bizarre. If you keep this in mind when creating your garden, you are sure to produce a peacefulness for which these gardens are famous.

Rock choice is of extreme importance, employed for visual and functional purposes throughout the garden. Often, one large rock with unique form and shape becomes the focal point of the garden, with other features drawing attention to it. Flat pieces may be used to create a walkway from your deck to the garden, or create a path for visitors by gently guiding them to view your garden from particular angles.

Water is a large consideration for Japanese gardens. Keep in mind that actual water is not necessary. It is better to employ sand, gravel and rock to give the impression of water than to insert definitively human influence, such as fountains to provide water circulation. The pond is an excellent place to display small stone lanterns or shrines. Also, another opportunity for color exists here. Fill the pond with white and orange fish, offering onlookers a surprise as they observe the reflected garden at water's edge.

Japanese maples are a perfect choice for your new garden. These trees are already popular in the United States, as they adapt well to the climate. In their younger years, Japanese maples can thrive in a container, offering lovely flexibility to move it between garden and deck during your next weekend party.

Bamboo is another plant that can be utilized, but use caution! Currently regarded as one of the best renewable resources on the planet because of its quick growth, it can overtake a garden if not actively maintained.

Because these gardens are to reflect the natural world, yet each feature is to be placed with purpose, you may find it a difficult to avoid that artificial look. Here are some tips:

1) Never use artificial materials in a Japanese garden. Miniature buildings and lanterns may be employed, but concentrate on having a raw look with design elements.

2) Shrubbery and plants must mimic natural seed transfer, so be sure not to place these in rows or even numbers to create a windswept look.

3) When using rocks, do not use ones with a uniform shape.

4) Avoid symmetry of element placement.

5) Use rocks, shrubs and sand from the surrounding area.

In Japan today, experts are hired to develop every feature of gardens, so don't worry if you want to utilize a landscape architect in the creation of yours. Just be sure to be involved in the process to bring together a space that brings out your own inner peace.

– Elizabeth Geras

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The Garden At Rock Cottage *by Lance Brilliantine*

Shady Wonder

Thank goodness spring is here. Trees are budding and flowers are blooming. The start of spring weather gets me pondering about how I will lay out flowers, summer bulbs and tubers. I have already planted innumerable seeds, and am delighted to see: bits of green poking through the soil that tell me all is well with the world again.

The orders I placed in winter for seeds and plants to keep myself sane arrive now, week by week. One of the plants I keep an eye out for are those knobby tubers that produce wonderfully textured leaves. No other plant fills shady spots as well, or provide such a carefree, colorful accent to the shade garden.

Of course, I am speaking of *Caladiums,* a genus of plant that is in the family of plants known as *Aracaea*. Cultivated in Europe since the late 1700s, caladiums have recently grown in popularity recently, like their cousin the elephant ear. While the leaves are not as enormous, a few well-placed tubers can fill a shady nook.

The genus *Caladium* includes seven species indigenous to South and Central America. Hence, the plants are not hardy in our zone (only to Zone 10). Many of the most beautiful varieties come from Brazil. In nature, caladiums grow freely in open, forested areas and on the banks of creeks. The wild plants grow to a maximum height of 18 inches, with leaves that grow about six inches long and wide. Cultivated species may be somewhat larger, though there are also dwarf varieties (though I cannot imagine anyone wanting them). In terms of caladiums, larger is better!

These plants prefer partial to full shade and should not be planted until the soil has reached a temperature of about 60 degrees. Leaves may be single or multi-colored, with color combinations of green and pure white, cream, pink, rose, and/or red. Colors vary by veining or by colored botches that appear all along the leaves. These easy to grow plants are a beautiful ground cover or border. They can also be used in pots or hanging baskets. Caladiums are extremely effective when planted in mass plantings. Mixing several varieties together produces a colorful contrast.

Once the ground has warmed, cultivate the soil and amend it with some peat moss. The bulbs thrive in well-drained soil with high-peat content. Plant the tubers with the eyes facing up to a depth of about two inches. For a vivid display, plant the tubers about six-to-seven inches apart. The larger the tuber, the greater the space needed. The largest varieties can be planted to as much as fourteen inches apart. Be aware that planting the tubers closer rather than farther apart increases the height of the stems. Also note that if you plant the tubers before the soil has warmed sufficiently, the leaves take longer to spout.

Caladiums love hot, humid weather. Therefore, they thrive on the East End – provided they do not receive too much sunlight, which burns the leaves. In the right location, the plants paint a garden with color until the first cold nights of autumn.

Once planted, keep the soil damp and lightly fertilize every six weeks with a slow release fertilizer or fish emulsion. The tubers rot if the soil is too wet. And, overly dry soil sends the tubers into dormancy wherein they stop producing leaves.

In the fall, as the leaves die back, lift the tubers before the first freeze. Dry the tubers out for a week before storing in a mesh bag at a temperature no lower than 60 degrees. When digging up the tubers, take care not to damage them as nicks create susceptibility to disease. Keep the tubers dry through winter and plant them again the following spring. The tubers will last for many seasons before needing to be replaced.

Caladiums attract great attention in the garden and are a great solution for problem, shady areas. Their bright colors and color patterns are simply fascinating! Most of the local garden centers and nurseries carry these tubers. However, some of the better and more exotic varieties are only available through mail order.

It is still not too late to witness the wonderful explosion of color that caladiums provide. There are still a few weeks before the soil will have warmed sufficiently to plant them. Don't miss the opportunity to try at least a few tubers this season!

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Real Estates by Diane Strecker

The South Fork has always dominated the real estate market on the East End, but in most recent years, the North Fork has slowly but surely, been catching up. **In the past five years, tourism on the North Fork has helped raise the bar on real estate prices. Its popularity is at an all-time high and now there are more than 30 vineyards on the North Fork and new golf courses have sprung up everywhere from Baiting Hollow to Southold.** Farm stands are spilling with flowers and the Main Road that leads to Greenport and the North Road all the way to Orient Point are lined with vegetables. North Fork Villages exude a New England-like, farm and country feel that creates its very own ambiance.

The North Fork is known for being the quiet place where people frequent farm stands, spend a weekend at a bed and breakfast, go wine tasting, antiquing, and enjoy the solitude of sailing the Peconic Bay. Areas like Nassau Point and New Suffolk, are growing in popularity and are drawing more visitors each summer. As a result, the summer rental volume and pricing have increased dramatically. Jamesport has become a thriving hub with a cluster of quaint shops, popular restaurants and esteemed vineyards. Jamesport is also the home to the Jedediah Hawkins Inn, the fully restored 1800s captains mansion and the North Fork's first designer show house.

North Fork farms, shops, harbors, restaurants and vineyards have now made these towns distinctive with a persona all their own. The area thrives more and more with each coming season with visitors seeking a relaxed lifestyle. It is no longer considered second to the South Fork, but a separate entity with an allure all its own.

Three Pillars Development is now building in Peconic, and instead of mimicking South Fork shingle-style homes, they have looked to the areas rich in North Fork history for inspiration. These state-of-the-art homes are built in the traditional farm-style. The 5,000 to 6,000 square foot homes resemble replicas of the old hay barns indigenous to the region. This type of construction blends into the natural beauty of the landscape and appears to have been there for hundreds of years. **The principles of the Southampton-based development company, Edwin Catamartori, Hugh Cano and Carlo Argila, have taken a new approach to building in farm country. The homes were designed by using the 19th century barns that were built by the English settlers as models.** The wood planked barn-style homes are authentic and at the same time have all the amenities a discerning homeowner may desire. The outside of the structures consist of vertical plank siding and the roofs and cupolas are constructed with metal standing seam. The two existing homes will be priced at $3 million and include one acre of land that is tucked inside a potato farm. The builders say that the goal was to create structures in tune with the location's historic past and agrarian landscape and they have done just that.

As many as eight of the barn-style homes are planned for the near future. The homes are listed with the Corcoran Group, who will be hosting an event in one of the homes to launch the new project this month. Sheri Clarry, Senior Vice President of the Corcoran Group's Southold office brokered the land for the project and took part in the designing of the homes. Ms. Clarry told me that each home will be distinctive and one-of-a-kind.

The North Fork is about more than just growing potatoes these days and the area has truly found its own identity.

Also for sale in Peconic, is a compound listed at $32 million. The property is comprised of 135 acres and fourteen buildings, including a main house, an established vineyard, a pool, a cabana and a tennis court. This property resembles a preserve or sanctuary and is the **highest priced residential listing on the North Fork.** Just a few years ago, a price like this was unheard of on the North Fork, regardless of the size of the property

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PLANET CRAZY
Dear Dan,

This is a crazy country; people who have broken our Federal Law and who continue to break our laws daily are rewarded for their criminal acts. The illegal day workers have won another round with our local government, they now have a hiring site in Southampton and I can't believe it hasn't cost the taxpayers a cent. Everything the illegals do cost us citizens millions, they now get free medical, school, welfare cash, food stamps, etc.

Nice rewards for breaking our laws.

As a citizen, I wonder if I would be rewarded if I didn't pay my taxes?

See you in a few years!

Carol Collins
Mattituck
Via e-mail

But our government let them in! – DR

THANK YOU!
Dear Dan,

I just wanted to say "thank you" for the great read after a great meal!

On Thursday evening, I made my first trip back out to East Hampton after losing my dearest friend eight years ago. I just did not want to face all the memories, and figured if I waited long enough, it would change enough to forget...well, I was wrong, and now I thank God it did not change.

As I sat on the beach and listened to the waves crash ever so differently each time, I was right back there in that space of time and it was okay. This place is a little bit of heaven right here on earth. You can be as visible as you like or go all weekend without seeing another person, you can be alone with your thoughts or go out to dinner and talk your way through town.

I am so glad I revisited my dear friends house and the memories of all the happy days are in my head and heart and now it's okay to make new ones.

I grabbed your paper as I left the restaurant Friday night and I am so glad I did. I cannot wait to get back into my friends house and get it ready for the season and enjoy the summer, winter, spring and fall.

Thanks again,
Joyce J. Perrini
Via e-mail

Wonderful. – DR

SAVE MORE HOUSES
Dear Dan,

I was very distressed to read that the Warhol estate was sold to a private party with no restrictions to preserve its artistic and historic heritage. Similarly, I painfully watch the debate and demise of the historic Victorian house on Gingerbread and Race Lanes. On the East End, there are strong organizations that fight to protect the land, but who is protecting the architectural and historic integrity of our area?

We all know that people love the East End because of the landscape and the water. They also come, however, because of the historic charm and rich artistic heritage. If the ocean were the only draw, people would flock to Westhampton and avoid the traffic and sometimes long journeys to the East End. Drive along Route 27 between East Hampton and Amagansett, and notice all the wonderful old homes that give the area such charm. Then think of these houses being replaced by the overbuilt unaesthetic McMansions or banal business outposts. We take for granted the pleasure that our architectural contour provides.

In New York City, there is a landmark law and myriad organizations, such as the Municipal Art Society, committed to preserving the architectural and artistic integrity of the city, which have successfully saved such beloved buildings as Grand Central and St. Bartholomew's Church. We must follow the city's lead. The government and local groups must work together to effectively stop the sale of our beloved landmarks.

The Cooper Lane area is also changing for the worse. Peter Wrangell, the architect who designed my wonderful house, showed me an addition he designed for a house on Cooper Lane near Newtown Lane. Then the house sold, was enlarged to an unworkable proportion, and is now unrecognizable. A block away, a house was built to cover every inch of the small lot – once again completely out of character with the architectural and historic charm of the neighborhood. How can we sit back and allow these monstrosities to occur?

We can see by the fight over the house on Gingerbread and Race Lane that you cannot wait until a property is sold in order to fight to protect it. We need a law that thoughtfully protects the buildings we designate as historically important.

Debra Foster announced that the town is interested in preserving artists' studios. The former studio of Hedda Stern, one of the abstract expressionists of the Pollock era, sits on Hog Creek Road near Springs Fireplace Road, without historic easements or protections. It is also the former home of the first Springs Fire Department. Fortunately, the new owner loves the studio. Nonetheless, a subsequent purchaser can just tear it down. We must identify these studios and historic houses and focus our energy on protecting them.

Where is the Town on this issue? Government has the responsibility and authority to legislate for the best interests of the people. Surely a rational landmark law could preserve the places we all love. Historic easements can be placed on properties so that the exteriors and essential qualities can remain. If we don't act, the town we all love will become just another suburb on the ocean. The values that everyone bitterly fights to protect will be usurped, as the charm of the area disintegrates.

The seller of the Warhol property stated that the property "should have been placed on the National Historic Trust." Why wasn't it? The purchaser spent close to $40,000,000. Does anyone think he will choose to preserve the historic bungalows? The real estate industry, which is so powerful in this town, must think about the well-being and value of our properties and town. The Town must enact legislation, which reasonably protects and preserves for us all the character of the place we all love so much.

Carol J. Steinberg
East Hampton
Via e-mail

I agree with this. – DR

Police Blotter

It's Naked Time

A man in Southampton was arrested for being naked on the beach. Apparently, the man had gone for a long run on the beach in the middle of the day and wanted to go for a dip, but didn't have a bathing suit because he was jogging in sweatpants and a sweatshirt. He decided to jump into the water in his birthday suit. After being arrested, the man was so invigorated by jumping into the sea naked that he was quoted saying, "It was worth it," to police.

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Hanging Out In A House

Three teenagers were arrested after they were caught by police hanging out at a house in Sag Harbor that did not belong to them. They were inside of the home because they knew that the person who owns the home was not going to be there until the weekend. After the arrest, police gave the teenagers another place to hang out and even a game, which was, how to not resist arrest.

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BB Gun To A Bus

A school bus was the subject of BB gun fire last week, which struck the bus while it was stopped at an intersection in Springs. The damage to the bus was worth $300. Apparently, the person who pulled the trigger couldn't stand watching the wheels on the bus go round and round.

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That's Just Not Worth It

A man in Montauk reported that a change jar with nearly $400 worth of change was stolen from his house. The man was gravely disappointed, as he was getting pretty close to having enough coins to fill his swimming pool with change and then swim around in the money.

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Gas Desperation

A woman in East Hampton reported that her credit card was stolen in East Hampton, and within half an hour somebody had used it to fill up their car with over $70 worth of gasoline. I don't know which is more shocking, the fact that a credit card was stolen or the fact that it costs $70 to fill up a car these days.

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Dog Walk Gone Wrong

A woman in Sagaponack took her dog for a walk on the beach but left her car unlocked when they went for the walk. When she returned, she discovered that her shoulder bag had been stolen and called police. The woman was really unhappy about the incident, but a couple of licks to her face from the pooch lifted her spirits.

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Whoops

A man in Southampton was arrested after he was pulled over for driving 15 mph in a 40 mph speed zone. The man was obviously smoking marijuana when he was pulled over, since when the police officer got to his car, a large waft of smoke came out of the vehicle. When the officer got to the man's windshield, he was seen spraying himself with deodorant and drinking mouthwash. Police didn't need anymore evidence than the four-foot bong that was found in plain view sitting right next to the man. They arrested him for possession of a controlled substance and for being an idiot.

– Written and Compiled by David Lion Rattiner

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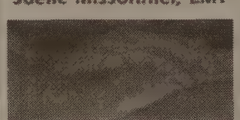

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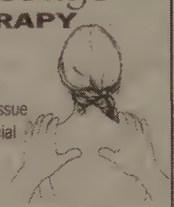

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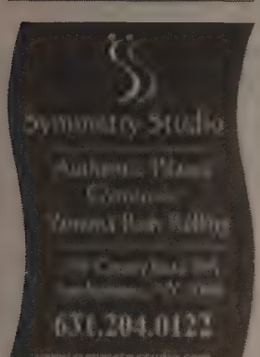

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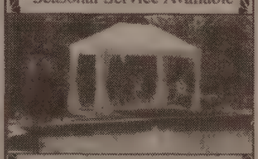

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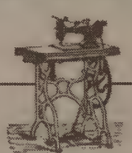

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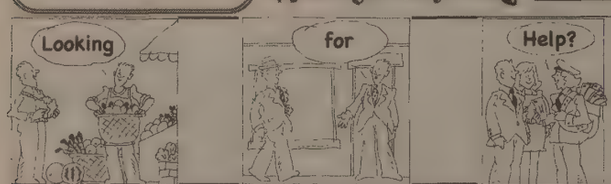

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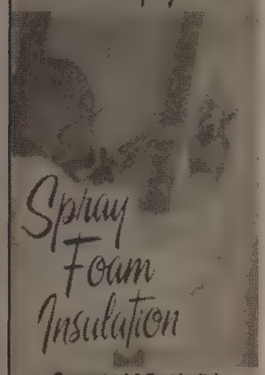

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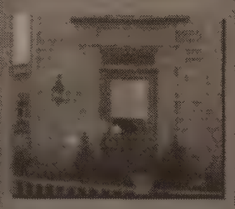

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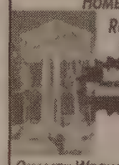

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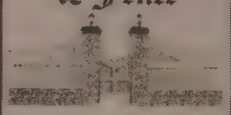
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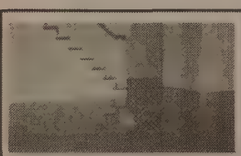
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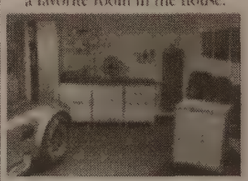
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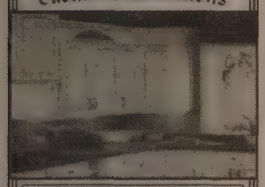

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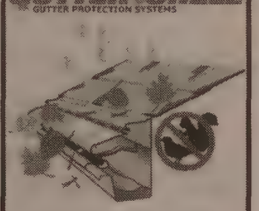

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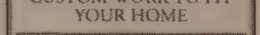

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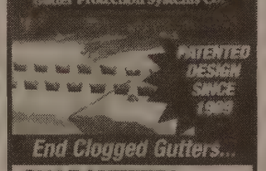

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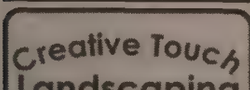
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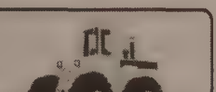
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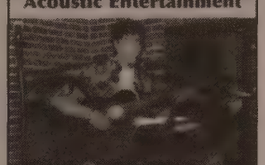
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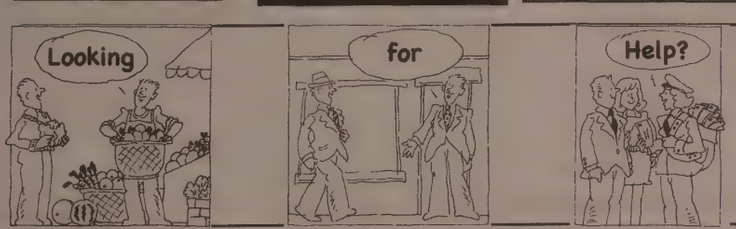

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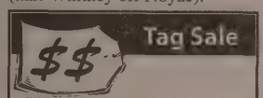

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Full Season or Monthly
Beautiful home
4 bedrooms, 3 baths
fully furnished, air conditioning, Pool, private area
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Summer Rentals

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Family friendly, sunny, bright saltbox. Tastefully furnished, 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms. Full basement, play room with laundry, maids room and full bath. Lovely, private and mature landscaping with heated pool (child fence optional) with deck on 3/4 Acre. Walk to bay beaches, minutes from transportation and village. Mooring rights, central air, wireless internet access.

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East Hampton Dune Alpin Sunny 2 Bedrooms plus sleeping loft, 2 fireplaces, 2.5 Baths, central air. pool and tennis. Bike to ocean. Walk to Red Horse. MD-LD $40,000. Owner 212-228-9678 631-537-7519

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Parking pass to Georgica beaches
MD-LD $85,000
July & Aug $70,000

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East Hampton Springs

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3 plus BR, 2 bath with multi-level decking to 20x40 oversized pool,

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East Hampton, Northwest
White contemporary
Heated pool, Central air
4 bedrooms, 2 baths
Walk to water

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JULY $12,000
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East Hampton, Northwest. Beautiful 4 bedroom, 2 bath contemporary. sunroom, heated pool, decks, central air. Beautifully furnished. Cul-de-sac, private. Walk to Bay. MD-LD. $22,000. Option to buy. 917-434-4822

East Hampton.
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East Hampton. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. July 1st-September 3rd. $12,000. Contact Jessica Cantwell, Owner/ Agent with Hamptons Realty Group at 631-278-2110.

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August-LD $22,000,
Season $38,000
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East Hampton/ Springs

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Summer Rentals

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Southampton- Just completed, 6 Bedroom Estate on 2 acres offers luxury living. LR w/stone fplc, 2 media rooms, 2 dining rooms, htd gunite pool, and a designer décor. Stunning! Memorial Day-Labor Day $110,000., folio 17370 Call Angela Boyer at 917-207-7777

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Summer Rentals

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Montauk: 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath condo. AC, patio, car port. Walk to golf, tennis, pool. MD-LD $20,000. Broker 631-668-2577

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Quogue
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Southampton Village
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Private beach
Swimming pool
Outdoor spa

Beautifully furnished
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4 Bedrooms, 3 Baths
2 Living Rooms
Air Conditioning, Pool,
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July $10,000,
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Charming,
Very private acre
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Spacious
3,400 sq. ft.
post modern.
Just a short drive to village and beaches.
5 bedrooms,
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open cathedral ceiling
Great room with chef's kitchen,
heated inground pool.
Close to all.

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5 large BR's, 3 bath,
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Marina
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New Construction
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SOUTHAMPTON.

3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 12x40 gunite lap pool, large back deck, 1 acre.

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2 bedrooms, 1 bath walk to ovean $35,000.
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Summer Rentals

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sleeps four
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NO DOGS

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SWEEPING WATERVIEWS
Deep Water Dock
Wide beam slip available
4 Bedrooms, 2 Baths,
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$1,950 monthly year round
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Year-Round Rentals

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J, Desiderio to B & J, Kerr, 320 Two Holes of Water, **1,325,000**
P, Margonelli to D, Trager, 65 Cove Hollow Rd, **1,500,000**
Pudding Hill LLC to A, Richardson, 22 Davids La, **7,000,000**
H, Shepherd to ET 54 Main Street LLC, 54 Main St, **4,700,000**

EAST MARION

G by Devise Raymond to J, Peretz, 280 & 440 Rosenburg Rd & lot, **2,580,000**

FISHERS ISLAND

R&H&R&M, Parsons to JG, Parsons, Sterling St, **1,200,000**

GREENPORT

Stirling Square Asso to Sterling Square LLC, 308 Main St, **1,700,000**

HAMPTON BAYS

M, Mujsce to Hamptons Bellows Pond, 16 Bellows Pond Rd, **1,500,000**

ORIENT

Matzinger, Cockerill to Interwellen Property, 700 Birds Eye Rd, **1,400,000**

QUOGUE

R, Bauer Modell to H, Kyriakoudes, 27 Whippoorwill Ln, **1,047,000**
J, Sipala to E & T, Hirschheimer, 4 Bluejay Way, **1,105,000**
J, Lubliner to D & Chin, J, Jasper, 7 Pen Craig St, **3,900,000**
S, Chase to S & K, Oh, 34 Lamb Ave, **1,100,000**
L, Hayes to A & K, Trager, 25 Meadow Ln, **3,500,000**

SAGAPONACK

Willmont Crossing LLC to 425 Wainscott Hrbr, 425 Wainscott Harbor Rd, **1,962,972**
Southport Mortgage Ltd to 486 Wainscott Hrbr, 486 Wainscott Harbor Rd, **2,064,828**
Full Mill Sagaponack to 20 Forest Crossing, 20 Forest Crossing, **2,064,828**
W, Indoe to M, Zeitlin, 145 Sagaponack Main St, **4,150,000**
G, Simon to GSK Realty LLC, 47 Masefield Close, **8,750,000**
C & S by Trs, Burden to Floppy Dog Properties, 113 Gibson Ln, **3,000,000**

SAG HARBOR

21 West Water Street to East End Development, 21 West Water St, **3,600,000**

SHELTER ISLAND

H.O.C. Investments to Shorewood Properties, p/o 1 Apple Orchard Ln, **10,000,000**

SOUTHAMPTON

L & A, Avvento to C, Bzezinski, 104 Parrish Pond Ct E, **1,700,000**
C.A.R.S Construction to Town of Southampton, p/o 660 E. Montauk Hwy, **1,732,500**
S & E, Dunham to W & S, Jacob III, 545 Hill St, **3,100,000**
C, Brinnen to A & D, Khatchikian, 133 Coopers Farm Rd, **2,500,000**
M, Gilmartin to Punnett & Saturno Ltd, 200 North Sea Rd, **2,750,000**
Olde Town Villas LLC to K, D'Amico, 456 Old Town Rd, **1,807,200**

WATER MILL

E, Lo to 94 Narod Boulevard, 94 Narod Blvd, **2,600,000**
R, Goodwin to 390 Mecox Rd LLC, 390 Mecox Rd, **3,700,000**

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BRIDGEHAMPTON

H, Grant to O, Niedermaier, 196 Meadows West, **840,000**
J, DiLeonardo to H, Lamison Jr, 674 Bridgehampton S Tpke, **300,000**
Darden & Johnson to P, Garston, 53 Sawasett Ave, **640,000**

EAST HAMPTON

K, Williams to N, Heryet, 102 Sycamore Dr, **685,000**
M & M, Smith to M, Munoz, 26 11th St, **550,000**
Anidjar & Grinstein to J & I, Meyer, 22 Bay View Ave, **760,000**
W, Sutherland to J, Santiago, 75 Chrystal Dr & 123-2-2, **739,500**
B, Schulte to M, Llewelyn, 71 Spring Close Hwy, **970,000**
C, Dodge to B & V, Gore, 27 Squires Path, **910,000**

FISHERS ISLAND

H, Parsons Jr to M, Parsons, The Gloaming, **375,000**

HAMPTON BAYS

M&N&A Caputo to M & B, Worrell, 45A Washington Heights Av, **540,000**
Bank One National,Tr to D, Caradona, 53 Canoe Place Rd, **651,900**
J by Ext, Green to T & L, Carr, 8 School St, **490,000**
M by Referee, Rivera to Aurora Loan Services, 14 Gerald Ln, **528,286**
L & Brunke, Shay to J, Cariello, 8 Kyle Rd, **483,360**
D & S, Sullivan to L & C, Shay, 15 Oak Ln, **712,760**
T & L, Dobranski to M, Sheehan, 17 Nautilus Dr, **643,900**

JAMESPORT

Mallinson G & J & Cassidy to W & P, Mallinson, 25 Kirby Ln, **412,500**

MATTITUCK

S, Tuthill to G & S, Mastronardi, 4563 Wickham Ave, **300,000**

MONTAUK

M by Exr, Lazarus to Jr & Spadaro, Lodewick, 29 Fairway Pl, **550,000**
T, Urraro to A & L, Corrado, 23 Fort Pond Rd, **585,000**

QUOGUE

BCM Associates to J & J, Kaplan, 50 Old Meeting House Rd, **505,000**

REMSENBURG

L & M, Stoller to K & Lovino, Seay, 11 White Birch Ln, **525,000**

RIVERHEAD

Riverhead Reeves Asso to R & C, Rose, 67 Chris Sundrop Ct, **554,900**
M, Kielkowski to W, Murphy, 26 Further Ln, **212,000**
J, Mosley to A, Racanelli, Old Quogue Rd, **160,000**

SAG HARBOR

R, Smith-Cowell to K, White, 21 Beach Ave, **350,000**
J by Exr, Rose, to J & L, Melis, 1206 Middle Line Hwy, **750,000**
N, Frankel to R, Gobright, 1290 Sagg Rd, **675,000**
O, Brown to G, Darvin & S, Shaw, 1 Cove Rd, **772,000**
C, Ruetiman to SJ & S, Bannon, 263 S Redwood Rd, **740,000**
R, Kunze to E, Dees, 18 Bridge St, **358,900**

SAGAPONACK

Willmont Crossing LLC to 2 East Woods PathLLC, 2 East Woods Path, **421,313**
Hidden Acres Venture to 10 East Woods Path, 10 East Woods Path, **310,198**
Hidden Acres Venture to 22 East Woods Path, 22 East Woods Path **428,258**
Hidden Acres Venture to 24 East Woods Path, 24 East Woods Path, **356,496**
Full Mill Sagaponack to 32 East Woods Path, 32 East Woods Path, **314,828**
Hidden Acres Venture to 34 East Woods Path, 34 East Woods Path, **375,015**
South port Mortgage Ltd to 5 East Woods Path, 5 East Woods Path, **393,535**
Nineth Floor Leasing to 11 East Woods Path, 11 East Woods Path, **472,241**
American Legal Recover to 13 East Woods Path, 13 East Woods Path, **550,948**
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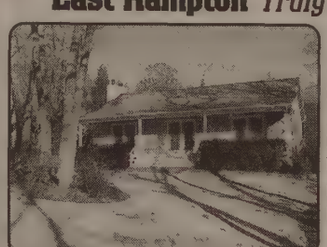

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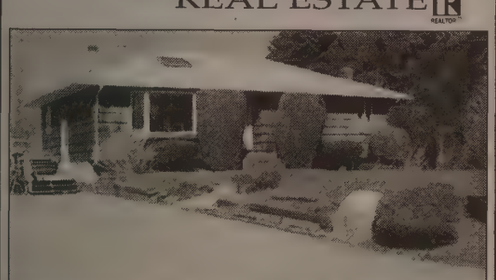

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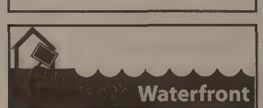

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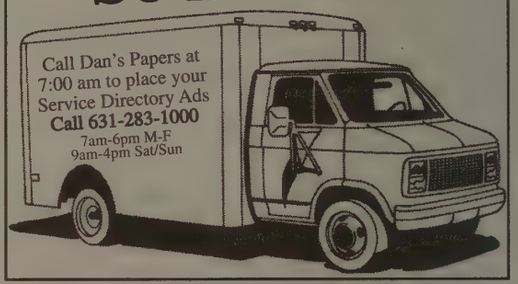

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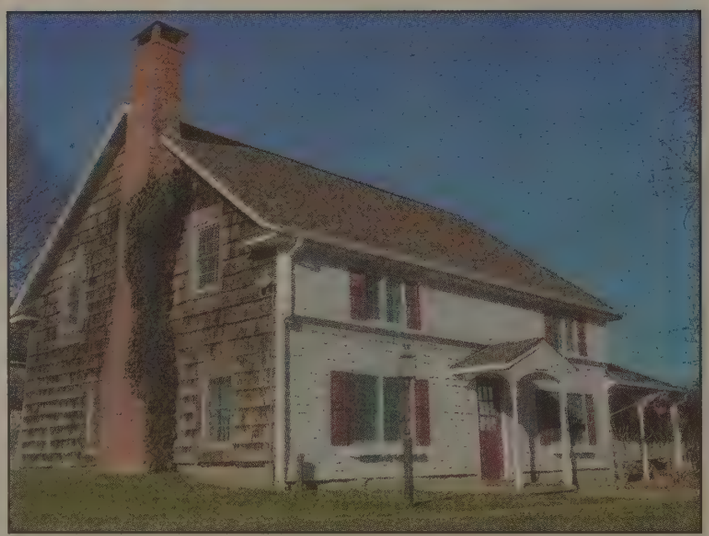

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